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NEGRO IS MURDERED BY ONE OF OWN RACE

STEAMER BLOWS UP ALL LOST

Rangoon, Burmah, Sept. 28.—The British steamer Clan Mackintosh, belonging to the Madras Steam Navigation company, is reported blown up at sea. Every man on board, with one exception is said to have perished.

CHAMPION CORN STALK RAISER

Charles Anderson, a Fullerton, Ky., farmer, claims the distinction of having raised the tallest corn stalk in this vicinity. The stalk is 14 ft. 8 inches high and can now be seen at Sommer Bros.' hardware store on Market street.

CUT OFF FINGER WITH HATCHET

Myrle Royster, aged 6, maimed her little four-year-old sister Nellie, while playing with a hatchet at the home of their parents on Harbor For? Monday afternoon.

Myrle wielded the hatchet so carelessly that she chopped off one finger and almost severed two others of her sister's right hand. Dr. Hopkins, of Friendship, was called to dress the little one's wounds. The girls are children of Thomas Royster, a well known employe of the Hannah Lumber company.

SPANIARDS CELEBRATING THE VICTORY

Madrid, Sept. 28.—The capture of the towns of Nador and Zeluan by Spanish forces in Morocco is being celebrated here as a virtual end of the war with Riffs X. Dispatches from Melilla say all the villages in the foothills of Mount Curuga, which is the Moorish stronghold, are in flames.

Jerome To Make Race

New York, Sept. 28.—District Attorney Jerome today filed the necessary petition with the bureau of elections endorsing his candidacy for re-election.

SPLENDID EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Lafayette Taylor, president of the good roads association, made no mistake in selecting the executive committee of one from each township. They are representative citizens and a legislative body measure up with any equal number of men to be found anywhere.

Tommy Saw Triple Steal

Tommy Murphy, popular bar tender at Al Yuenger's soft drink [illegible] spent Sunday and Monday in Cincinnati. Tommy saw the Reds win three games out of four and also witnessed Brooklyn pull off that celebrated triple steal in Monday's first game.

CRIME FOLLOWS QUARREL OVER A CRAP GAME

A quarrel over a crap game among Southern negro laborers at the N. & W. camp cars near Clifford resulted in a cold blooded murder shortly before nine o'clock Monday night. The victim was William Stempson, 35, whose home was in North Carolina. He was shot down almost without warning by William Seales, another negro from the south, who escaped shortly after his crime, and has not been apprehended.

Both men were employed with the big gang of colored men and foreigners upon the N. & W.'s new double track at Clifford about 15 miles north of this city and just this side of the Pike county line. Saturday was pay day and as usual after the negroes have gotten their money, a number of dice games were in progress on Sunday. Some bad blood may have previously arisen between the principals of the tragedy but this has not been discovered. At any rate they started a new game after supper Monday night and it ended in a dispute. Some words passed between the men but the mixed crowd of whites and blacks did not dream of the tragedy about to be enacted.

Most of the men were getting ready to turn into their bunks for the night and the victim Stempson had gone to his car, but returned and was in conversation with several of the laborers. He seemed in jovial mood and it is certain that he was expecting no further trouble. Presently the murderer, Seales, came quickly into their midst and circling around to where Stempson was standing he drew a big gun and fired twice at his man. One bullet went wide of its mark but the other struck Stempson about in the center of the breast.

Instantly there was a great commotion and the gun user disappeared in the moonlight back of the cars. Stempson himself started on a dead run for the car of the foreman, William Barry, Sr., of this city. Barry had his door shut on account of the cool weather and he heard the man making frantic efforts to get in. He went to the door and there saw Stempson almost exhausted and the dim light fell upon the blood issuing from his wound.

"For God's sake, let me in, boss, they're killing me!" was the words he gasped, as he fell over upon Barry's bunk. Barry and his sub-foreman raised the body of the man and found life had sped.

As quickly as possible, a messenger was sent to the David Appel home near by, to notify the authorities by phone. Foreman Barry and his white assistants, made a hurried investigation themselves and were satisfied from the stories of the eyewitnesses that the facts were as have been bandyed. It was discovered that another colored man was missing, Robert Strong also from the south. Later in the night, it developed that Strong had come to the bunk of the gun user and taken away his effects while the excitement was

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Portsmouth Man At the Pole

DR. J. W. GOODSELL.

The Cincinnati Times-Star of Tuesday morning prints a good picture of Dr. J. W. Goodsell who was surgeon on Peary's arctic exploring ship, Roosevelt, which we reproduce. Cincinnati claims Dr. Goodsell as being a graduate of Pulte Homeopathic college of that city but Portsmouth has a larger claim, from the fact that he was one of our fellow citizens for quite a while. After graduation, like all young medics he began to cast about for a location. Dr. J. M. Vantyne was then in active practice in Portsmouth and he and young Goodsell having been reared in the same town in Pennsylvania Goodsell made arrangements with Dr. Vantyne to enter his office as assistant. He was here more than a year, gave satisfaction as a practitioner and made many friends. He was ambitious however and desiring a broader field went East, and finally secured the position of physician and surgeon on Peary's ship. He always spoke of having a desire to visit the polar regions. That desire was gratified to some extent, but Peary's inordinate vanity of being the only white man to be present at what he considered the discovery of the north pole prevented Goodsell from realizing the dream of his life, that of standing at the axis of the earth. It would be interesting to know what he thinks of Peary in his heart of hearts, for he is too much a lover of discipline to give expression to a criticism adverse to his commander.

LURID REPORTS ON BABES DEATH

The five-weeks-old child of Mr. and Mrs. George Mullens, of McDermott, was found dead in its crib Monday morning, and the discovery gave rise to all sorts of sensational rumors among the inhabitants of the village.

The discovery that the little babe had died was made by the parents themselves, who, although, deeply saddened by their little one's untimely end, nevertheless set about to prepare the body for burial. In the meantime someone, either maliciously, or with a false appreciation of a jest, circulated the story that the child had not died a natural death and soon the whole village was in a turmoil.

County Coroner O. W. Robe was called to the scene and after holding an autopsy over the child's remains, set at naught the wild rumors by declaring death had resulted from natural causes. Mr. Mullen is employed by the Waller Stone company and it would seem that he and his good wife have been done a gross injustice by the unscrupulous parties who started the groundless story in their hour of trouble.

LIQUOR CASES ON WEDNESDAY

Judge Blair had intended to finish the hearing of Shirley Ray, on the charge of selling real beer Tuesday morning, but on account of the absence from town of Ray's attorney, Judge Milner, the case was postponed until Wednesday morning.

The court announced further, that the cases still pending against other local soft drink parlors, would very likely all be finally disposed of on Wednesday.

Make Trip In Auto

Henry Ruel and John Staiger left Tuesday in Mr. Ruel's automobile on a trip to Columbus and through the northern part of the state.

Here on Business.

C. E. Witcomb, an employe of the Indian Refining company of Ashland, was in the city on business. Tuesday.

Back On Duty.

Si Lossee who recently sprained an ankle, has resumed his duties as B. & O. S. W. yard switchman.

FURTHER HONORS FOR HUDSON AND FULTON

New York, Sept. 28.—Interest in the Hudson-Fulton festivities today centered in an historical pageant of commemorative floats and the periods of American history made famous by achievements of Hudson and Fulton were illustrated. Fifty-four floats were in the procession and nearly 20,000 men, women and children, most of them in costume, posed as historic personages on them. On every available spot along the five-mile line of march stands were occupied by spectators. The guests commission occupied the reviewing stand in front of the new public library at Fifth avenue. A high wind was blowing, and it is possible the trial flights of Wright and Curtiss in aeroplanes will not take place today.

Boy Killed By Engine Bell

Hamilton, O., Sept. 28.—John Ebbing, aged 18, was instantly killed and Wilbur Havering, a neighbor, aged 16, was painfully hurt in an extraordinary accident Sunday morning.

The boys were returning from church and stopped at the crossing of the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Indianapolis railroad to allow an express train to pass. As the train shot by the bell on the engine flew to pieces and a large fragment struck Ebbing in the neck, killing him instantly.

Havering was knocked down but not dangerously hurt. A flaw in the bell caused the accident. The boys were 30 feet from the track.

DYNAMITE IN POCKETS

When Gebby Was Run Over By a Hearse.

Bellefontaine, O., Sept. 28.—With his pockets filled with dynamite, Rankin Gebby, 65, of Belle Center, was run over by a hearse, and although he is seriously injured, the dynamite did not explode. Gebby, who is deaf, was carrying seven sticks of dynamite to a gravel pit to do some blasting when the hearse in a funeral procession struck him.

Leaves on Business Trip

W. J. Friel left Tuesday on an extended business trip. He will make the cities of Columbus, Cleveland, Toledo, Detroit and Michigan.

Attorneys In Cincinnati

Attorneys Joseph T. Mickleth wait, Oscar W. Newman, Clint M. Searl and John C. Milner were at Cincinnati Monday to take part in the Price Brothers bankruptcy hearing before Judge Thompson in the U. S. District court.

Takes Job At Central

Russell Schropp, well known young delivery clerk, on Monday took a new position with the Central Grocery.

Victim of Malarial

Joe Burgraf, a well known McDermott farmer, is laid up with an attack of malarial fever.

Mrs. Don Ramsey and Mrs. Albert Servey of New Seventh street visited Monday at the home of Miss Minnie Gentry, who is an N. & W. operator at Lucasville.

Miss Lucile Darragh has returned from a visit to relatives in Cincinnati.

PUBLIC WORKS MEMBERS GET PAY

Columbus, O., Sept. 28.—The members of the Board of Public Works got their money this afternoon. Kirtley of Defiance, a member, paid back $600 he drew last year. This was the salary increase he was not entitled to until this year.

BLAKE.

Called Home by Father's Death

Max Wise, son of the late Leopold Wise, who passed away Sunday evening, arrived in the city Tuesday from Louisville to attend his father's funeral, which will be held on Wednesday.

MOVING DAY IN EAST END

William Minego, who has been employed at the Portsmouth Stove and Range works for ten years, moved his family from Sixth and Campbell avenue to East Twelfth street between Lincoln and Hutchins, Tuesday. Mr. Minego says most of his neighbors in the square in which he lived on Sixth street were moving and he supposes he got the fever also. At any rate, Fred Hunter employed at Si Strauss' Star store moved from that locality to 24 West Third street this week; Charles McCarthy, well known painter and paper hanger, moved next door to the Campbell avenue school from a short distance below on the south side of Sixth street, and George W. Barnett moved his family from 458 East Sixth to the Damarin building.

ATTY. SEARL IS ADMITTED

Attorney Clinton M. Searl, of Portsmouth, Ohio, was admitted to practice yesterday morning in the U. S. Circuit and District Courts, says the Enquirer.

Dr. J. P. Gillen Visits Parents

Dr. J. P. Gillen of South Pittsburg, Tenn., arrived Sunday evening for his annual visit with his venerable parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Gillen of West Second street, and a host of other relatives in this section. He is the oldest brother of Sheriff John Gillen.

WHITNEY GIVES DR. COOK CREDIT

St. Johns, N. F., Sept. 28.—The Arctic vessel "Jeannie," with Harry Whitney, arrived here today.

Whitney was questioned regarding the statements made to him by Cook in Greenland. He said that Cook arrived at Annotok in April of this year and declared he had reached the north pole a year before. He pledged Whitney not to tell Peary who was to be informed only that Cook had gone further north than Peary's previous record. Continuing Whitney said that Cook complained to him of Peary taking his house and his stores but declared he suffered no unfairness. Peary's steward, William Pritchard, was present when these statements were made. Like Whitney, he was pledged to secrecy by Cook. Murphy, Peary's boatswain, who was in charge of the stores was absent at Etah on this day and did not hear Cook's communication. Murphy had written instructions from Peary regarding the stores. These directed Murphy to use Cook's stores first and Peary's afterwards.

Before starting on the trip south Cook asked Whitney to take charge of the instrument with which he had made the observations at the pole. These were in three cases. Cook left no written records with Whitney that Whitney was aware of unless they were in the boxes. Whitney said when Peary returned to Etah from the north, that Cook's Eskimos came to him and asked what Peary's men were trying to get them to say. Peary's men were shown Eskimos papers and maps, but the Eskimos declared they did not understand these papers. So far as Whitney is aware, Cook's Eskimos never admitted that while with the doctor they only progressed two "sleeps" from land.

WAR SEC'Y IS GIVEN MEDAL FOR BRAVERY

Washington, Sept. 28.—For jumping into the river at Detroit and rescuing James F. Joy, a farmer, during the convention of the American Bar association in August, 1895, Secretary of War Dickinson was today presented with a gold medal. The presentation which was made at the war department by Assistant Secretary Hilles, was suggested by President Herndon of the American Cross of Honor.

TAFT TO CARRY OUT TEDDY'S POLICIES

Spokane, Sept. 28.—In a speech on the Conservation of the National Resources delivered here today, President Taft declared he would ask congress to authorize the issuance of ten million dollars in bonds to complete the irrigation progress already begun in the West and on which the work has been stopped for a lack of funds. The President declared his administration is pledged to follow out the policies of ex-President Roosevelt in general and the conversion of the natural resources in particular. Taft arrived early today and was greeted by a large crowd.

Dr. Daehler In the City

Dr. Walter Daehler, who now is an intern in the Cincinnati city hospital, came up from the Queen City Monday to visit his home folks.

Returns To Pomeroy.

N. J. Painter, a prominent Pomeroy merchant, who has been visiting Mel Bothwell of East Third street, returned to his home, Tuesday.

Arrives Home From Arctics

HARRY WHITNEY

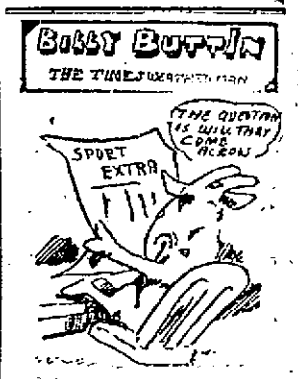
The New England millionaire sportsman and hunter in whose hands Cook left his exploring instruments and records of his trip to the pole.

Six Killed In Collision

Chicago, Sept. 28.—Six men were killed and a dozen seriously injured this morning by an outbound Panhandle passenger train crashing into the rear end of a Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul stock train at Twelfth and Rockwell streets. The victims are stock men and members of the stock train crew. No persons on the passenger train were injured. The passenger train was bound for Cincinnati.

Monkey on Display

The Red Cross pharmacy has turned one of its large display windows into a reception room for "Jim" the smallest of the monkey with the Lewis dog and monkey show, which is showing at the Orphium this week. "Jim" is having a fine time and is much admired by passers-by.



I notice the winter base ball mills have begun to grind. I've seen several "grists" lately but the particular one I'm takin' note of is the annual list of towns that are just bankerin' for a berth in our Ohio State League next year. Chillicothe is again "set" on comin' in. And Huntington is goin' to be in next year or bust a "gallus" and there's half a dozen others that's got the fever and got it bad. That's just the trouble—it's only fever and they get well of it surprisin' quick when the time comes for puttin' up the money. But here's hopin' four of 'em makes good. Here's some weather for you:

Ohio, Indiana and West Va. — Fair, warmer tonight and Wednesday.

Negro Killed Near Higsby

Chillicothe, O., Sept. 28.—One negro was sacrificed under the wheels of an N. & W. freight train near John Aid, a negro employe of the N. & W. construction camp at Omega, was crushed to death beneath the whee's of a [illegible] freight at Higby's, a station below this city about seven o'clock Sunday morning.

Nothing could be learned as to Aid's home or his connections. No one at the camp at Omega seemed to know anything about him, except that he was known by the name of John Aid. He was apparently about 35 years of age.

SOCIETY

The final practice for the Harold-Stanton wedding took place Monday evening at Holy Redeemer church and was followed by a hot oyster luncheon for the bridal party at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Ellen Stanton. Covers were daintily placed for eighteen at a long table, whose floral adornment, rich red cactus dahlias, was most admirable. The invited guests were the bridal party and a very few others, as follows: Mrs. Mary McNamee, of Columbus; Mr. D. A. McIntosh, of Cleveland; Miss Blanche Zink, of Lancaster; Misses Laura Helderman and Alice Duduit; Misses Elizabeth and Florian Newman, of Ironton, and their sister, Mrs. F. H. Williams, who will play the wedding music; Mrs. Jean Kelley and her sister, Miss Martha McQuirk, who will be the vocal soloist. The maid of honor will be the bride's only sister, Miss Nell Stanton, and the best man, Mr. William Meyer, of Columbus. Little Regina Stanton, of Berlin, a niece of the bride-elect, will serve as flower girl. The ushers will be Messrs. Simon Labold, Edward Daehler, Horace Small, Paul Davidson, Clark Winter, of this city, and Mr. D. A. McIntosh, of Cleveland. The bride will be given in marriage by her brother, Mr. Frank Stanton. A feature of the luncheon was the gift presentation to the attendants of the bride and groom, the bride giving to the maid of honor, the organist and the vocal soloist, exquisite brooches set with pearls, and to the little flower girl a pretty signet ring, engraved with the letter "S," and the groom to his best man and the six ushers, scarf pins set with pearls. The wedding will take place at 8:30 o'clock Wednesday morning. About one hundred is the number invited to the wedding and the wedding breakfast at 9:30 at Hotel Washington and several hundred will be the number of after cards.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Brunner, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Windel, Jr., and son Carl, formed an auto party to Ironton Sunday. While there they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Vogel and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Mayne, and were delightfully entertained with several selections by the Mayne family band.

Mr. John Werner and daughter Miss Margaret, were guests of friends in Cincinnati Sunday.

Mr. Earl Applegate will quit work at Andersons' store Saturday to enter the Graham Business college. Mr. Davis of Oak Hill, has secured a position at Andersons' store.

Mrs. N. W. Evans is visiting relatives at Hamilton.

On Monday evening Rev. and Mrs. A. Preston Gray entertained at pastor's class in Grandview avenue Sunday school at their home, 1424 Grandview avenue. The class has a membership of twenty young men and the party at their teacher's home was most enjoyable. Social pleasures preceded excellent refreshments.

Mrs. N. E. Clary of Quincy, Ill., is guest of local relatives.

Mrs. J. C. Milner will entertain the Friday Bridge in this week's session. All members are expected to attend without further notification and also to R. S. V. P.

Mrs. Louella Wendelken will leave Wednesday for a visit to relatives in Marietta. Her brother Mr. Will McMurray and Mr. Will McCurdy left Tuesday for West Baden to spend several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hauck of East Ninth are visiting relatives in Fort Wayne, Ind.

Dr. and Mrs. F. H. Williams and guests the Misses Newman of Ironton and Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Dillon and children spent Monday afternoon in a picnic outing at Crichton's Inn.

In a delightful auto ride, Tuesday, Mr. Simon Labold entertained a party of the out of town guests here to attend the Harold-Stanton wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund W. Gills entertained at 6 o'clock dinner, Monday evening at their lovely home, Rev. and Mrs. George Duval of Buffalo, N. Y., their hosts. Mr. and Mrs. John Lust and daughter Miss Emma of John street and Mrs. Gills' parents and sister, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Cook, and daughter Miss Nora. The table decorations were pink and white asters and the guest favors pink and white roses. The fine menu of three courses preceded adjournment to the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Cook, where other guests were as follows, and where all spent the evening delightfully, Mrs. John F. Droege, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Cook and daughter, Vola, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Revare, Mrs. John F. Gerlach, Mrs. William Huvecotte, Mr. John F. Henneke and daughter Miss Anna Henneke. Vocal and piano music by Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Duval and Miss Nora Cook were among the occasions enjoyments. Refreshments of pink and white ices, cake and bon-bons, coffee and fruit, were served at a table whose lovely floral garniture were pink and white dahlias. The place cards were name inscribed in gold and hand painted in forget-me-nots for the women, grapes for the men, and roses for Mr. and Mrs. Duval, all being the exquisite work of Miss Henneke, one of this city's noted artists. On Thursday Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Duval will return home well pleased with the hospitality of Portsmouth relatives and friends.

As farewell honor of Rev. and Mrs. J. F. Elder and family will be given Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock in the church parlors. All members of the church and congregation are urgently requested to be present.

Mr. D. A. McIntosh of Cleveland and Mrs. Mary McNamee of Columbus, arrived Monday night to attend the wedding of her special friend, Miss Mary Stanton to Mr. Vallee Harold, Wednesday morning at Holy Redeemer church. Mrs. William Thomas of Wellston and Misses Lena Jones and Margaret Crossin of Jackson, arrived Tuesday to attend the wedding.

Miss Ruth Ferguson's Kensington for a fall bride, Miss Beulah Bierly will take place Saturday afternoon and Miss Emma Edwards party on next Monday evening when the groom-elect Mr. Joseph Alexander of Charlotte, S. C. will have arrived. On Tuesday evening both bride and groom will be honored with a dinner at the home of Mr. Ray Duvendeck.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Turley and daughter Nell are at home from Cincinnati.

Mr. and Mrs. Melville Bothwell have as guest Mr. Nile Painter of Salem county.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Esselborn have returned from an extended visit at the latter's former home in Virginia.

Harry Warner of Huntington was the guest of Portsmouth friends Sunday.

Mrs. Clifford Cramer, of Columbus, is visiting Mrs. James Dobbins, of West Tenth.

Mrs. Eugene Hacquard and son Ted, of Scioto ville, have returned from a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Finney, of Columbus, formerly of Scioto ville.

Mrs. S. S. Gilbert will be host at the first meeting of the Monday Bridge club.

Mrs. Elizabeth Reiser is at home from Adams county Mineral Springs.

Mrs. Samuel Graham and her two children of Zanesville are here to attend the wedding of her sister, Miss Beulah Bierly to Mr. Joseph Alexander of Charlotte, N. C. October 6th.

An auto dinner party to Baker Hotel, Wheelersburg, Monday evening, follows: Mr. Mark Selby and Mr. W. P. Alexander and two traveling salesmen friends, Messrs. Keyes and Hallet, of Boston, Mass.

Miss Alice Higgins will leave next Monday for Cincinnati and Dayton, to spend the month of October.

Mrs. Callahan Smith and her children came home from Ironton accompanied by her sister, Miss Katharine Yates.

Mr. Dan Conroy is at home from Cincinnati.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Peebles, of Cincinnati, are visiting their relatives, Mrs. Lillian Holman, and sisters, the Misses Smith, of East Eighth, on the way home from Adams county Mineral Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. William Bierly, of No. 76 East Fourth street, entertained at dinner the following relatives in celebration of the christening of their baby, William Walter Bierly, by Rev. A. W. Elder at Sunday morning services at First Presbyterian church: Mr. and Mrs. Schister and children, Margaret and Leslie; Mrs. Edith Atkins and daughter, Miss Avonel Atkins, and Mrs. J. H. Cook, of Bertha.

Mr. and Mrs. David Paffenberger left Tuesday for driving trip to New Richmond to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Cook and children of East Gallia street, have returned from a delighted week's visit visiting friends and relatives at Ironton and Powellsville.

Mrs. James A. Hagar and Mrs. Harley Marcomhette will entertain with a musical at Elk parlors, Tuesday afternoon, October the fifth at 2 o'clock according to invitations sent out late Monday afternoon.

A surprise will be the news that Miss Jennie M. McCoy, second of the two attractive daughters of Mr. and Mrs. John McCoy of Greenlawn Heights, was wedded Monday to Mr. Dunn B. Litchfield of Lewiston, Maine—traveling salesman for the United Shoe Machinery company of Cincinnati, and a gentleman well worthy the estimable bride of his choice. The ceremony was said at 5:30 o'clock at Christ Episcopal church by Rev. Mr. Poole, in the presence of the necessary witnesses, including the bride's sister, Miss Margaret McCoy, of this city who accompanied her sister to the Queen City. The bride was modishly attired in a traveling suit of olive green chiffon cloth, with harmonious hat and gloves. Her sister wore a tailored gown of blue cloth, with hat and gloves en suite.

From the church the bride and groom departed for a wedding trip, and later will go to housekeeping in a home in Cincinnati made ready by the groom for the home-coming of himself and his bride.

Their many Portsmouth friends extend cordial congratulations and hope soon to see the bride and groom in this city where the bride will spend much time during the groom's enforced business absence.

On Sunday Mrs. Louella Wendelken and Mrs. Hattie Russell dined at Hotel Baker, Wheelersburg.

Mayme Maldem and Fred Kress were among recent diners at Hotel Baker, Wheelersburg.

Mrs. Harry Revare, Miss Alma Hitchcock, Miss Maud Anderson were among groups who recently dined at Baker hotel, Wheelersburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Geier and three children of Cincinnati and Mr. and Mrs. George Merryweather of Cleveland are visiting Mrs. Pauline Esselborn, mother of Mesdames Geier and Merryweather.

Misses Anna and Georgia Padan and Bernice Plummer have returned from a visit to the Misses Padan's uncle and aunt, Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Stephenson of Ripley.

At Baker hotel recently two large groups of Ironton people dined most sumptuously—twenty-two being in one group, and fourteen in another—members of the fishing club of Ironton. The trip of this party was made in the Lowry, McDowell and Martin autos.

Mr. and Mrs. George Carson are on the way home from their bridal trip through the west.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Zoellner have returned from Cincinnati where they accompanied Miss Carrie Yost, Mrs. Zoellner's sister, on her way home from this city to Dayton.

Mrs. Koger's visitor, her niece, Miss Marie Minch, has returned home to Chillicothe.

Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Rintels of Boston, Mass., arrived Tuesday to visit at the home of Mrs. Rintel's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Moses Lehman, by whom their little baby has been cared for during Mrs. Rintel's long illness.

Mrs. Charles Frederick and children have returned from a visit to relatives at Boardman.

Mrs. E. C. McCoy is at home from Peebles where she visited relatives.

Wednesday and Thursday will be observed as holidays in Hebrew circles.

Mrs. King and daughter, Mrs. Patrick Kirns of Ironton are visiting relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Dan King of 381 Seventh avenue.

Elevator Boy At Andersons

Clifford Baker, young son of Court Bailiff Fred Baker, on Monday took the position of elevator boy at Anderson's. He has been employed at the Excelsior factory.

REMEMBER THIS

In the days that are to come, when your house needs painting some, and you're looking for an article that's good; remember Spartan Lead, for you'll find it's way ahead of other preservatives for wood. Spartan White Lead is a very high grade article used by all experienced painters. When painting this fall or in the spring be sure and specify Spartan White Lead. Manufactured by The Marietta Paint & Color Co., Marietta, Ohio. Sold by Schloss and Co., 414 Chillicothe street.

Child Sick Wite Diphtheria

A young daughter of Mrs. Bertha Flood, of No. 1343 Park avenue, is ill with diphtheria. The home was placed under quarantine by the health authorities Tuesday.

Goes To Cincinnati.

Charles Behrens of West Fifth street, left Sunday for Cincinnati to visit his cousin.

Watt Hughes has returned from a several days' visit in Cincinnati.

PLACES FOR REGISTRATION.

First Ward.

A—Madison street engine house.

B—Neil building, near Third and Market streets.

C—Carpenter shop on Washington street between Sixth and Seventh.

D—Corner Tenth and Chillicothe streets.

Second Ward.

A—Gay street engine house between Second and Third streets.

B—Voting booth on Gallia and Chillicothe street.

C—Carpenter shop on Seventh street, between Findlay and John streets.

D—Price building corner of Front and Sinton streets.

B—Gulker building, 627 Offner estreet.

F—Voting booth corner Eighth and Waller streets.

Third Ward.

A—Engine house on Gay street between Tenth and Eleventh.

B—Ferguson building between Kinney and North Waller streets on Thirteenth street.

C—Voting booth corner Davey avenue and Seventeenth street.

D—Voting booth corner of Twelfth and Union streets.

Fourth Ward.

A—Voting booth corner Fifth and Brown streets.

B—Maxwell building on Gallia near Raynor street.

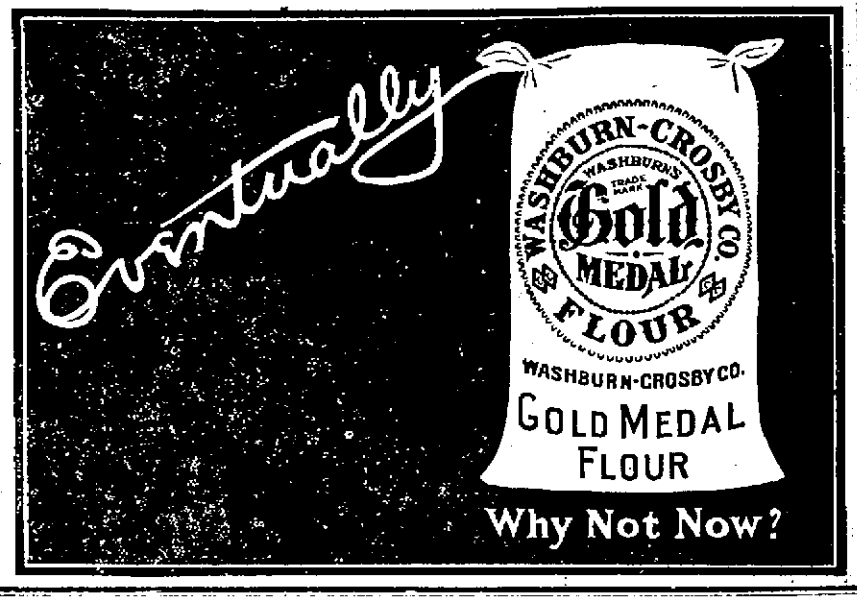
C—Sexton building on Twelfth between Lincoln and Offnere.

D—Cement building, Campbell avenue between Seventh and Eighth streets.

E—Voting booth corner Grant and Franklin avenue.

F—Haney building on Eleventh street near Clay street.

G—Corner of Eleventh and Gallia streets. 28-2



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The Pure Drug Co

JNO. E. RAPP, Mgr.

Turley Building.

FOWLER'S

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POTATOES

The finest Potatoes in the city. Every potato a nice size. 15c a pack.

SUGAR CURED SHOULDERS

The best and cheapest meat you can get. The full size square cut shoulders, 12 1-2c a pound.

Gold Medal Flour 80c a Sack

Santa Clara Prunes, 2 pounds 15c.

Old Dutch Cleanser, two cans 15c.

OUR PRIDE COFFEE.

Don't fail to include in your next order one pound of Pride Coffee, the best for the money. $1.00 worth of stamps free.

TEA! TEA! TEA!

With every pound of Tea at 40c, 60c or 80c we will give you $5.00 worth of stamps free.

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Pepper 10c for one-fourth pound. $1.00 worth of stamps free.

With each box of Matches 5c, 50c worth of stamps free.

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SWEET POTATOES 25c PECK. FANCY JERSEYS, LARGE AND YELLOW.

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ALL THIS WEEK

Now madam is the opportunity of several season's. It's the chance to look at petticoats to your heart's content. Good petticoats too—none better in the world and they're here in every conceivable style and shade. Yes, they're here and with them is a special lady demonstrator that knows petticoats from the band to the hem and she is only too glad to show the entire line and try to please you with a genuine Heatherbloom Petticoat.

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Are Better Than Taffeta Silk Petticoats and We Want to Prove It

Heatherbloom Petticoats have every good virtue of silk petticoats and they also have the bad ones corrected.

Heatherbloom Petticoats have the rustle of the pure silk, they have the shades and colorings and they have three times the wear at only one-third-of-the-price. If you don't believe it come and talk with the young lady demonstrator and she'll sell you any Heatherbloom Petticoat you may select from hundreds, upon the conditions herein mentioned.

Heatherbloom Petticoats Are Guaranteed

And with a guarantee that means business and Andersons' store is right back of every Heatherbloom Skirt that goes out during this special exhibit, and any other time for that matter. If you want a Petticoat of a special shade or a special pattern or if you want a very fine embroidered petticoat, or a fancy one or if you just want a petticoat, that is a good one, suppose you stop in and meet the young lady and the line. You'll be better educated in petticoats and it will mean money saved to you.

GENUINE HEATHERBLOOM PETTICOATS $1.75 UP.

DEMONSTRATION SECOND FLOOR.

The Anderson Bros Co. COR. CHILLICOTHE & THIRD STS.

DEMONSTRATION SECOND FLOOR.

STROBEL SHORT NEARLY $1,500

Tuesday's Irontonian contained the following additional details of the removal of Postmaster Strobel at Ironton:

The removal of Postmaster John B. Strobel, Saturday evening after an inspection of the books of the post office by Inspector Hutchinson, the placing of Deputy Postmaster R. S. Wiseman in charge, temporarily, and the recommending of Major Jere Davidson to fill the unexpired term of Mr. Strobel, by Congressman Johnson, was the sole topic of conversation, Monday, while on every hands were heard regrets that a change had occurred at the post office under such deplorable circumstances, no one could give a satisfactory explanation why matters were as they were, especially when it became generally known that the inspector had found a discrepancy in the books of over $1400, and that about four months ago, a shortage of something over $1000 had been made good by Postmaster Strobel's bondsmen Congressmen A. R. Johnson and Col. H. A. Marting.

When informed of the shortage by the inspector Postmaster Strobel stated that he had used the money to tide him over a pressing financial difficulty and had no intention other than making an early proper restitution, and his many friends are inclined to take this view of the matter.

Mr. Strobel has always been considered a man of unquestionable character and all who heard of his present troubles were greatly shocked and unable to account for his financial difficultiesfi or his actions.

Mr. Strobel has been postmaster of Ironton for 12 years next January and his salary is now $2700 although it has not always been quite that large.

When asked by an Irontonian representative Monday if he cared to say anything concerning his trouble, Mr. Strobel said that he had nothing to say at this time, other than that the matter would be clearly explained and made satisfactory to the government and all others concerned.

The change of postmasters will have no direct bearing upon the other employes at the postoffice as they are all under civil service except the assistant postmaster, who is now in charge of the office and who it is understood will be retained by Major Davidson, when he assumes charge of the office.

Major Davidson's term under the present appointment will expire in February, and before that time Congressman Johnson will name him or some one else for the full four years term.

He will have no trouble in finding someone to take the place, however, as R. S. Wiseman, G. H. Moore, J. C. Snyder, T. J. Hayes, W. H. Crawford and Chas. Richards are avowed candidates for the place and the names of F. A. Ross and W. G. Ward were being mentioned by their friends Monday and the books are not yet closed.

NOW ON STRIKE

Millions of Stomachs Refuse to do Their Work Properly.

All over this broad land millions of stomach owners are being held in humiliating subjection just because they are so stubborn that they will not accept a broad minded offer.

Life is short for all of us; it will be shorter for those who let their stomachs go from bad to worse.

Wurster Bros. have a famous prescription called Mi-o-na and they believe so thoroughly in its remarkable curative power that they say to every owner of a distressed stomach that they will guarantee Mi-o-na tablets to cure acute or chronic indigestion and all stomach disorders or money back, and the price is only 50 cents a box.

And still there are stubborn people right in Portsmouth who wont accept this offer but continue to suffer from gas on the stomach, belching of sour food, stomach bloat, foul breath, dizziness, biliousness and headaches just because—they just won't—that's all, there is no explanation.

Mi-o-na tablets stop dyspeptic misery the minute; they cure cases of indigestion and transform a sick stomach into a new one in a few weeks—or money back.

ALMOST RUNS ON DRY LAND

The Greene Line's new low water boat, Greendale, passed down Saturday on her initial trip. The packet can run on 13 inches of water and will be able to run no matter how low the river should get. The Cincinnati Enquirer Sunday contained the following description of the new packet:

"The Green Line's new low water steamer Greendale arrived yesterday in charge of Captain Gordon C. Green and Pilots Hughes and Fanchon. The new boat presents a fine appearance, but has only one stack. She is going to be a good freight carrier. The Surveyor of Customs, Charles Reed, of Wheeling, measured the Greendale several days ago, and allows her 95 tons. The Greendale is 140 feet long 27 feet beam. She has no outriggers and her guards are 7½ feet wide between stanchens. Equipped with all her machinery and coal, she only draws 13 inches forward and 14 inches aft. She will be a big freight carrier, as she has a very light and neat cabin, to accommodate about 25 passengers. Her machinery, off the T. D. Dale, is 10 by 3½ feet and one large ten flued boiler furnishes the steam. The Greendale has a fine, big nigger engine capstan of the famous old sidewheel steamer New South. The new steamer is receiving her finishing touch and will enter the Pomeroy and Charleston trade Monday, in command of Captain Carney in place of the Greene Line steamer Greenland."

For Headache — Hicks' Capudine

Whether from Colds, Heat, Stomach or Nervous Troubles, Capudine will relieve you. It's liquid—pleasant to take—acts immediately. Try it, 10c, 25c and 50c at drug stores.

To Form A Social Club

The young men of the Second Presbyterian church are planning to form a social organization, within the bounds of the church, that will bring its members more closely together socially and be the means of helping one another in various ways.

Plans are already underway to give a men's supper at the church on the night of Thursday, Sept. 30th. The affair will be for men alone and all who care to are urged to attend. An entertainment will follow the banquet, consisting in part of a monologue by Sam Williams, premier fan maker at all stag affairs, some songs by a male quartette and many other good things. The organization of the men's club will also be perfected at this meeting.

Laying Ash Track

A number of Portsmouth persons while in Cincinnati Sunday met Frank Bankloch, a former local bartender. Frank is now employed in St. Louis and doing nicely.

Hoover Buys Out Crabtree

Dave Hoover has bought out his employer, Nate Crabtree in the garbage business taking over his entire equipment of carts, etc. The deal involves the garbage work in District No. 2.

Home From Lexington, Ky.

Contractor Ed Kelley, who has been supervising some public contract work at Lexington Ky., arrived home Monday for a brief visit. He expects to go to Ashland Tuesday to attend a big contract letting.

A force of section men began work laying a new ash track in the west end yards of the B. & O. S. W. Monday.

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ACTUALLY, POSITIVELY, INVARIABLY RESTORES GRAY HAIR TO THE COLOR AND VIGOR OF YOUTH.

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Hay's Barlina Soap cures Eczema, red, rough and chapped hands, and all skin diseases. Keeps skin fine and soft. 25c. druggists. Send 2c. for free books, "The Care of the Skin," "The Care of the Hair."

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Big Time For Ripley

Ripley, O., SSept. 28.—The baseball game between Ripley and West Union, Ohio, on Wednesday will decide the championship of Adams and Brown counties. This is the most important game of the year in this section of the country.

As a special attraction immediately after the close of the game the great Athos, bull wrestler, will attempt to throw the largest bull in this county, in 30 minutes. Athos is here, and after looking over his beefy opponent stated that he expected the battle of his life.

Anonymous Letter Beat Col. Munshower

Under a splendid two column likeness of Col. Nathan Munshower, who was at one time marshal of Ironton, and who is the father-in-law of Dr. G. A. Sulzer of this city, Monday evening's Columbus Dispatch says:

As an afterclap of the national encampment of the Union Veteran Legion, held recently at Washington, D. C., veteran circles of Columbus are very much excited over the appointment of a committee to investigate the circulating of several hundred anonymous letters at the encampment, attacking the fitness of Captain Nathan Munshower of Columbus, for the office of national commander which he sought and for which he was defeated by a very narrow margin.

After the delegation returned to Columbus, a search was quietly instituted for information concerning the authorship of those letters. Certain information was secured pointing to a prominent veteran living in Columbus and a committee of three was appointed to look further into the evidence against this man and report to the Columbus camp.

The members of this committee refuse to talk, but it is understood that charges will be brought shortly before the whole camp to oust this man as a member of the organization.

Ed Corriell Gets Invite

Ed Coriell, bookkeeper at the Blade office, has an invitation to visit New York during the Hudson-Fulton festivities and make his home while there with some friends. He may accept.

Muskrats At Millbrook

Muskrats have made their appearance in Millbrook lake and are perforating the banks. They can't do any damage.

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Some shoes have certain good qualities, and some have other good qualities, but La France has them all. We have the style you want and the service you require for complete satisfaction. There is no doubt whatever that La France Shoe is the shoe for you.

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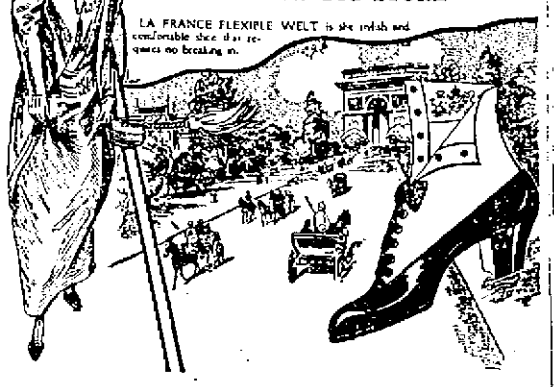

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Black Voiles of course. The very best assortment that we have been able to show you is here at present. Good quality Voiles, neatly trimmed with Buttons, Braids, etc. Prices $5.00, $6.50, $7.50, $10, $12.50.

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What the Administration has Done

DURING THE TWENTY MONTHS IT HAS BEEN IN CHARGE OF THE CITY, THE PRESENT DEMOCRATIC ADMINISTRATION HAS DONE MORE TO IMPROVE AND BETTER THE CITY THAN HAS EVER BEEN DONE BY ANOTHER ADMINISTRATION.

HERE ARE SOME OF THE THINGS IT HAS DONE:

ERECTED A FLOOD WALL AND COMPLETED THE SYSTEM OF HIGH WATER DEFENSE.

LAID OVER SIX MILES OF PAVED STREETS AND PASSED THE NECESSARY LEGISLATION FOR HALF AS MUCH MORE.

BUILT ALMOST THREE MILES OF STORM SEWERS.

CONSTRUCTED TWO AND A HALF MILES OF SANITARY SEWERS.

SECURED ELECTRIC STREET LIGHT AT ABOUT HALF THE COST THEREOF IN FORMER TERMS AND LARGE REDUCTION IN COMMERCIAL LIGHTS.

CLEAN THE STREETS AND ALLEYS THE FIRST THOROUGH CLEANING THEY HAVE HAD IN YEARS AND KEPT THEM IN SUCH ORDER SINCE THAT PORTSMOUTH IS NOW REGARDED AS THE CLEANEST CITY IN THE STATE INSTEAD OF THE DIRTIEST.

INDUCED THE LAYING OF BLOCK AFTER BLOCK OF CONCRETE SIDEWALKS.

PUT UP DRINKING FOUNTAINS AT SEVERAL OF THE BUSIEST PLACES, ONE OF THE GREATEST NEEDS THE TOWN EVER HAD SET.

TAKEN THE WATER WORKS PLANT, DILAPIDATED AND SHATTERED TO NEAR A COMPLETE BREAK DOWN AND RESTORED IT TO GOOD PHYSICAL CONDITION.

PROVIDED FOR THE ERECTION AND MAINTENANCE OF A HILL TOP FIRE ENGINE HOUSE.

ACCOUNTED CORRECTLY AND LEGALLY, ACCORDING TO THE REPORT OF THE REPUBLICAN STATE EXAMINERS FOR EVERY CENT AS LEGALLY SPENT, OR ON DEPOSIT, THE ONLY CITY SO FAR AS KNOWN WITHOUT IRREGULARITIES OR WORSE IN FINANCIAL AFFAIRS.

COMPLETED, AFTER YEARS OF AGITATION PLANS FOR A NEW WATER SUPPLY AND HAVE EVERYTHING READY TO BEGIN ACTUAL WORK THEREON, JUST AS SOON AS THE LEGALITY OF THE BOND ISSUE IS DETERMINED AND THEY CAN BE SOLD.

REMEMBER EVERY DOLLAR SPENT ON PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS WENT TO HOME CONTRACTORS, DISTRIBUTING MANY THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS TO HOME LABOR WHEN IT MOST NEEDED IT, SUPPLYING FOOD AND CLOTHING TO HUNDREDS AND KEEPING THE MONEY IN CIRCULATION WHERE IT WOULD DO THE MOST GOOD.

BROUGHT GREENLAWN, THE PUBLIC CEMETERY TO A CONDITION WHERE IT RANKS AS ONE OF THE MOST BEAUTIFUL TO BE FOUND ANYWHERE, AND ENLARGED IT.

DEMOCRATIC TICKET

Mayor.
HENRY C. SEARCY.

President of Council.
ADAM PFAU.

City Auditor.
WILLIAM N. GABLEMAN

City Solicitor.
HORACE L. SMALL.

City Treasurer.
JOHN J. McCALL

Council-at-Large
WILLIAM E. COOK
JACOB GEHRES
JAMES NEFF

Justice of the Peace.
HARVEY L. REDDEN

Constable.
ALLEN CAMERON

Ward Councilmen
First Ward, FRANK SCHMANK
Second Ward, JOHN LINCK
Third Ward, WILLIAM GERGENS
Fourth Ward, CHARLES L. FINK

Appraisers of Real Property
J. J. BRUSHART
E. MELVIN FUNK
HERMAN HUELS, SR.
ERNEST BERMAN
P. S. REVARE

Assessors.
First Ward, WILLIS CALHOUN
Second ward, W. S. BRENNAN
Third Ward, W. A. ADAMS
Fourth Ward, JAMES JACKMAN

Board of Education
ALBERT GRAF
J. L. HUDSON
GEORGE J. SCHMIDT
G. WASH WILLIAMS

If the gangsters were half as diligent in administering their office as they are in effort to get hold of them and hold on, so many of them would not be out with more to follow.

Activity and advancing prices in realty are unfailing evidence of the growth of a town.

This town is going to do things. It must have an administration which will do things.

WHAT IT IS FOR.

City governments are established in order that peace may be maintained and the inhabitants thereof enjoy those wider necessities and aids that the common welfare and health and comfort demand. They are not established to give place and pelf to partisan spoilsman. The concern of the city should not be what party rules him, but to get the most of those utilities and advantages and conveniences the heavy additional tax he has to pay entitles him.

In the election now drawing near he has opportunity to choose which he will take. The dividing line is clear and distinct and he has no excuse to be deceived. The issue was drawn at the beginning and it will not be changed at the end.

The record of the Democratic administration, up for re-election, is written clear and bold. It is not only notable, it stands unapproached for progress and improvement. Fine as that is, however, we feel it is most admirable because running all through it there has been the keenest sense of responsibility to the people, a sense that treated all alike, and a just touch of human nature. There was no disposition to affront the rich and none to scorn the poor. Every one was received with courtesy and given fair hearing and quick attention. The standing of the person was not a consideration only the merit of his complaint or petition. Sympathy for the weak and helpful for the needy were ever dominant forces. Those accused were bulldozed and berated, justice was meted out to them in mercy and as gently as circumstances would permit. The needy were given work. There was much suffering and want when the administration came in and no man can tell the suffering and starvation it provided against because it set itself diligently to giving work to those to whom work was just then more than a blessing, salvation. Nor was this work itself done improvidently, it was so directed that the city got fair return and benefit from it.

On the other hand there is the record of the gang opposition painted in letters black and dismal. Under this gang, though for many dark years in control of the city, never a brick was laid on the streets and never a sewer built until long after transient Democratic administration had first begun the work. Its brutal and corrupt tactics to maintain itself in power and keep from being kicked out are too well known and recent to call for recounting here. Its contemptuous treatment of the public, its unmerciful treatment of the unfortunate, its inefficient conduct generally, its habitual neglect of public affairs and its criminal desertion of the water works are flagrant and recent misconduct, that call for and will receive the emphatic rebuke of the people.

HIS SUFFICIENT REASON.

A Republican from the county was in town Saturday and one of the gang hailers approached him and began to talk politics. He assumed the farmer would be for the gang ticket's election, but soon found he was not. Then he played the old game of brag and bluster and offered to bet ten dollars would be elected. "That's not argument," said the rural man, "but make it fifteen and I will take you," reaching for his wallet. It was a sight to see that gangster go after some business up the street. Then the by-stander got in his work and he asked: "Why are you, a Republican and a farmer, so interested in the Democratic ticket?" The answer came quick and short, "because it is the first year I have been in town that I could get a decent drink of water without begging somebody to give it to me."

And still the gangsters attempt to make sport of the fountains.

Two things one hears most frequently are the town is going to grow big and the gang is going to be buried under a big vote.

Everybody says Portsmouth is entering upon her most rapid growth. What everybody says must be true.

TO TAKE CHARGE OF NORFOLK

James Darragh, present landlord of the Hotel Portsmouth, has decided to assume management of the Hotel Norfolk in a few days. Capt. Harvey Redden is temporarily assisting at the desk of the former hotel. Howard McKercher, who has been conducting the Norfolk is not quite ready to announce his future plans.

Slight Rise In Ohio River

A slight rise has come out of the Kanawha river which is expected to hold the Ohio up to a packet stage for at least another week.

Clare Is Slowing Up

In its Ohio State university football news, Tuesday's Columbus Journal said of a former Portsmouth boy:

Lima Clare may show well on the end or backfield beat, at the clip he is going now, his chances look bad. He says that sore feet are the cause of his let up.

Mrs. W. H. Payne arrived here from Norwood Sunday for a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. August Maier, bringing with her a little girl, Rosina Frederick, who has been spending the summer at our home.

Jack Allen Is Married

The many friends of Jack Allen a popular ball player and N. & W. terminal employe, will be surprised to learn that he has been married since September 11th.

Jack and Miss Margaret Newman, a pretty employe of the Excelsior shoe company, quietly slipped up to Ironton on that date and were united in wedlock by Rev. Mr. Mann a Methodist minister. They expect soon to go to housekeeping. Mrs. Allen is a native of Beauty Ridge, Ky., and had been living with her sister, Miss Dona Newman of Gallia St.

Hansen's Return From Denmark

One round of pleasure was the trip of ten weeks just ended by Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hansen and the former's brother, Chris Hansen with their return here from Europe Monday night.

The Hansens arrived in New York on the White Star line steamer Sedwick Sunday in time to get a glimpse of the big naval fleet and other interesting sights that form a part of the big Hudson-Fulton celebration. Their one regret is at not having the pleasure to meet Dr. Cook, the north pole discoverer, while in their native land, Denmark. They visited Copenhagen but Cook had just made his departure for America. The two brothers found their relatives all well and doing nicely. Their parents are hale and hearty and seemingly good for many more years.

Chris had changed and grown so that his people failed to recognize him but they knew Carl at first glance. Mrs. Hansen, despite her inability to speak to her husband's people in their native language got along swimmingly and derived so much pleasure out of the trip that she votes she will again accompany her husband should he ever repeat the trip and this he and Chris hope to do within five years.

Underwear at Haas'.

TAKE CHILD FROM MOTHER

J. C. Baker of Huntington, agent for the Widows and Orphans Care Association of the Junior Order of American Mechanics, was in the city Monday and along with Deputy Sheriff Eckhart, went to the Joseph shanty boat near Popcorn Point and secured the child of Mrs. Minnie McDonald, who is living with Josephs on the boat. She is the same woman who left her husband recently and threatened to shoot him if he came near her. Agent Baker claims she is an improper person to raise the child, and it was sent to the association home for widows and orphans at Tiffin, O.

Mr. Leonard L. Purslow of East Third street and Miss Anna M. Temple of Robinson avenue, both employed in local shoe factories were married in Cincinnati Monday, according to the Enquirer. The Times on Saturday contained a tip that these popular young folks intended to make the trip to the Queen City for this purpose so that this news will not come as a surprise to many. Friends will hasten to offer their congratulations.

Back at Selby's.

Misses Irene Ashbaugh and Sue Abele, who since the Selby shoe strike have been employed at the Starner-Copeland factory in Columbus, have returned and are again working at their former positions at Selby's.

157 WITNESSES BEFORE GRAND JURY

The grand jury got in another full day Tuesday and to date a total of 157 witnesses have been subpoenaed. A partial report may be made Wednesday, but this is by no means certain.

OHIO STATE IN THE GAME TO STAY

There was never as much as a hint of dissolution at the Ohio State league meeting Monday afternoon in the Neil house, says the Columbus Journal. Instead, all delegates, as soon as accounts for the past year had been closed up, were quite ready to lay tentative plans for next season. An eight-club circuit to take the place of one, started last April with six and finished in September with four clubs, is desired.

Owners of the four clubs which are now in good standing, wish to go right along with the production of interesting baseball for the enjoyment of their fellows and for the development of young ball players. It is very probable that they will lead up to the way.

Plans were not carried far. Cambridge sportmen sent a delegate to the meeting. A berth in the league is wanted there. There are four or five other towns in the territory that will come to the front ere long. The effect of the discussion yesterday will be to give league rebuilding an early start.

Lima is sure of her pennant. One of the first transactions of the meeting was to award the flag to the city in which Lee Fohl handled the club.

President E. M. Schoenborn and Business Manager Dunigan of the championship team were at the meeting over which President Quinn presided. President Wollenweber and Secretary Allen of Marion, Col McVey of Mansfield and Director Worster of Portsmouth, were the others in attendance.

Sundayed at Ironton.

John Davison, the B. & O. S. W. yard engineer and wife spent Sunday visiting relatives and friends at Ironton and Ashland.

Has Severe Cold.

J. B. Lewis, well known insurance agent, is under the weather with a severe cold contracted while in the grand stand at League park, Cincinnati, Sunday rooting for Bridgy.

Changes His Residence.

Fred Hunter, who has charge of the shoe repairing department at Si Strauss' Star store, has moved from the East End to a house on West Third street.

Back From the East.

Will McGuire, a traveling salesman for the Davis Drug Co., is in New York city taking in the big Hudson-Fulton celebration.

Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Craft of City street left Tuesday for Cincinnati.

Hun Goes to Hospital.

The police removed a Hungarian laborer from Jefferson street to the hospital Tuesday. The foreigner had been working for the B. & O. S. W. when taken down with typhoid fever.

Are Married.

David Baldige, 27, a coal miner of Chatteroi, Pa., and Willie Hagar, 21, of this city, were married at the Probate office last Tuesday afternoon by Squire Byron.

Opens His Parlor.

Al Bradshaw has opened his soft drink parlor in the old Billy Kunst stand on West Second St.

Fine Cattle.

A. F. Miller came in from Wakefield Tuesday with a drove of fine cattle for A. Glesler & Co.

All wool $10 suits at Haas'.

To Attend Wedding.

D. A. McIntosh, former local manager of the Postal Telegraph company, arrived here from Cleveland Tuesday to attend the Harold-Stanton nuptials.

WOMAN'S NATURE is to love children, and no home can be happy without them, yet the ordeal through which the expectant mother must pass usually is so full of suffering and dread that she looks forward to the hour with apprehension. Mother's Friend, by its penetrating and soothing properties, allays nausea, nervousness, unpleasant feelings, and so prepares the system for the ordeal that she passes through the event with but little suffering, as numbers have testified and said, "it is worth its weight in gold."

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MOTHER'S FRIEND

Most Sensational Play During A Baseball Game

The most sensational play ever made? Every fan will give a different answer to this question. Some will say that Chase made it when he saved a game by racing into the middle of the diamond on a pop fly, reaching the ball when it was only a few inches from the grass. Ed. Walsh the Chicago White Sox pitcher, thinks it was made at Detroit two years ago.

It happened in the game in which Walsh broke the Detroit hoodoo. The Tigers had beaten Walsh every time he faced them. They regarded him as their lawful prey. The game was played in Detroit, and Mullin, who started this season with eleven straight victories for the Tigers, was slated to pitch against Walsh.

Early in the contest George Davis, the veteran shortstop of the Chicago club, secured the only hit made off Mullin, and it was enough to win the game. The ball driven down the first base line into right field, struck a fire hose line lying in the grass and bounded into the bleachers for a home run. After that Mullin was invincible.

Toward the end of the game Detroit opened with the usual rally. Rossman, Detroit's first base man, leading off in the inning, smashed the ball against the fence for a clean triple. "Dutch" Schaefer drew a base on balls. Schmidt, next at bat, gave the hit and run sign, and, with both runners in motion, hit a hard bounder down toward third base, where Tannehill of Chicago was playing. Tannehill made a perfect scoop and threw the ball to the plate twenty feet ahead of Rossman, who, seeing that he was caught, doubled back on the line, hoping to dodge the tag long enough to allow Schaefer to reach third.

Sullivan raced down the line with the ball, driving Rossman before him. Rossman slipped and fell close to third base and just as Sullivan tagged him for the first out, Schaefer slid to third. In the meantime, Schmidt, a slow runner, because of an injury to his ankle, had rounded first base and was well on his way to second. Sullivan straightened up and whipped the ball to Rohe, who was covering second base and calling for the throw.

As Schmidt slid, Rohe's arm came down with a thump and Schmidt made the second out. The instant Sullivan threw the ball, Schaefer was on his feet and dashing home from third base. The plate had been left unprotected; Sullivan was down near third base; Walsh, the pitcher, yelled for the ball and raced Schaefer to the rubber, closely followed by George Davis. The two runners collided in front of the plate.

Walsh was stunned and Schaefer was thrown ten feet from the plate, alighting on his shoulders. Davis, who arrived about the same time, took the throw and dropped the ball on the struggling Tiger, completing the third out and the most sensational triple play ever made in the big leagues.

George Davis, who is a scientist says that it was not a clean triple, but every man at the ball park went home talking about it, in whispers. It is the melodrama of the game which counts in the penciled statement of the autocrat of the box office.—C. E. Van Loan in the Outing Magazine for September.

BASEBALL CRACKS AND JOKES FOR THE FANS

A baseball player had two fingers of his right hand pretty badly banged up in practice, and on his way home from the grounds he dropped into a doctor's office to have them attended to "Doctor," he asked anxiously as he was leaving, "when this paw of mine heals will I be able to play the piano?" "Certainly you will," the doctor assured him. "Well, then, you're a wonder, doc, I never could before."

A baseball game was played in Topeka once between the married men and the bachelors.

A man named Flood came to bat. The pitcher put over a straight one, and Flood knocked the ball over the fence.

Instead of starting for first base Flood braced himself and stood stock still.

"Run, you idiot!" screamed the spectators. "Run! Why in blazes don't you run?"

"Run!" calmly queried Flood. "What would I run for? I've got two more clouts at it!"—Saturday Evening Post.

Uncle Ben Shibe, the principal owner and president of the Athletic baseball club, does not often break out into a large spell of hilarity, but there are times when it pleases him to explode a quiet little joke.

After one of the Detroit games Uncle Ben was walking down the circuitous stairway at the ball park with a friend. Just ahead of them slowly stepped a man smoking a large black cigar. At one turn the man's feet suddenly slipped out from under him and let him sit down with a force that was quite emphatic.

"What was the matter with that man, Uncle Ben?" asked the friend, who had not observed the cause of the fall. "What made him drop that way?"

"I don't know, exactly" replied Uncle Ben, with a soft little chuckle, "but it looked to me as if the cigar he was smoking was so strong that it pushed him over backward." — Philadelphia Telegraph.

BASEBALL

Mitchell, former pitcher of the Brooklyn club and later catcher of the Toronto club, will be given a chance by the New York Americans. He is said to be a good one.

Manager Billy Murray, of the Phillies, hopes to beat out Cincinnati before the curtain rings down. He has made peace with Sherwood Magee and the Quakers are traveling at a faster clip.

There was a time this season when the fans thought that the Yankees could not win over two games in a row, but Stallings' men seemed to have travel some the last 10 days. And Stallings has the nerve to expect to finish in the first division.

Charles Gee Sample has been signed by the owners of the East Liverpool team to manage the club next season. Sample was with Zanesville last season.

Joe Cantillon will demand a public statement from Ban Johnson for his insinuations hurled against him by the American league executive.

Manager Fred Lake figured early in August that 93 games would win the American league championship. With a few more games to play, the Tigers will come pretty near beating that figure by at least four games, while the Quakers will certainly pass that mark.

Monte Cross and other former major leaguers had applications in for the managing of the Atlanta, Ga., baseball club, but the directors chose Otto Jordan, present second baseman, for the place. He was secured from the Brooklyn Nationals four seasons ago.

Maybe Heinie Peitz won't be asked to quit Louisville now that he has grand dash at the finish. No one could be expected to do better than Peitz has done.

Since Jimmy McAleer has been installed at Washington for 1910, our source of ball player secrets for Minneapolis has been cut off.

Claude Rossman, the former Detroit first sacker, who figured in a deal with St. Louis for Tom Jones, has quit the Browns and returned to his home at Philmont, N. Y. Rossman has resumed school teaching, and declares he is through with baseball for good.

In signed opinions leaders of the Chicago Cubs blame the loss of the pennant to Pittsburg on hard luck. Out in Kansas City Johnny Kling chuckles with glee. Pittsburg never won eight straight games on Chicago's grounds when Johnny was behind the bat.

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THE WHITE SOX ARE GIVEN NEW NAME

Charley Comiskey has a new name for his White Stockings. The Old Roman calls them the "Half Awakes."

His reason for bestowing this title on them is that this year the pale hosed team has not won a morning game and has played sleepy ball in all the morning controversies in which it had engaged.

On Decoration day the Chicagoans got trimmed, 5 to 1, in the morning by the Detroit Tigers; on the glorious Fourth the Sox lost to Cleveland in the morning, 4 to 3, and on Labor day the Forest City team defeated the Windy City troupe, 5 to 2.

Comiskey says that he will have a team that will be as good as the 1906 outfit—the one that mopped up the ground with the Cubs.

The Sox are anxious for the coming series with the Teddy Bears to start and wish the American league pennant race was over, so they could get at them. The first game will probably be played on October 7. Walsh will twirl for the Hitless Wonders and the players on Comiskey's team think he will be as effective as ever against Chance's men.

Ryan Picks Johnson To Beat Jeffries in Ring

Tommy Ryan, who has a very good line on fighters, and especially Jim Jeffries, has the following to say on the Jeffries and Johnson fight:

"Don't think that just because Jeff and myself are on bad terms I am taking the Johnson side of the argument," he said. "I honestly believe that Johnson will win. In the first place Jeff never met a man of his own bulk, and in the negro he will hook up with a man who is his equal in poundage.

"Then Johnson is not only as clever as Corbett, but he is a punishing fighter even if he is not a knockout man. He has one punch that will land Jeff—the uppercut. I look to see Jeff fight himself out in ten rounds, and then go down from exhaustion, as did John L. Sullivan when he fought Jim Corbett."

WAGNER SELLS CLARK AN AUTO

Pittsburg, Pa., Sept. 28.—Hans Wagner has accomplished one of his aims in life—that of seeing Manager Fred Clarke of the Pirates net as his own choofer.

Hans has been skidding over the highways and byways in his own touring car for several years. He got the fever long ago and is still infected with the germs. Some time ago he took the agency of the Regal car and ever since he has been endeavoring to spread the germs among his teammates.

Wagner has been at his boss for some time to purchase a car. Early in the season he told Clark that he would not be satisfied until he purchased a Regal.

"Tell you what I'll do, Hans," said Fred. "If we win the pennant this year I'll buy a machine."

"That's a go," said Wagner. "The sale is as good as made." And so it proved to be. Just to prove to his men that he had confidence in them and that he figured that they would not fail him, although they still have a number of games to play, Clarke bought his auto last Saturday and since then he has been spending considerable time in mastering the difficulties attendant on choofering.

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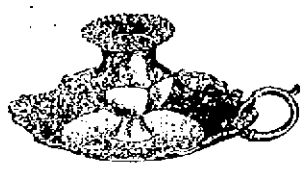

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WANTED—Good girl for general house work. Mrs. Schloss, 31 West Ninth St. Phone A 1013. 27-3

WANTED—Night engineer. Call Buckeye Fire Brick and Clay Co. Scioto Fce. 25-tf

WANTED—To buy second hand cutting box for feed. Call phone 116. 28-tf

WANTED—Everybody is invited to attend the millinery opening at Dora C. Wilburn's shop in her new location, No. 294 East Gallia street, next door to Freund's drug store. She will have on display a complete line of fall and winter goods. Hats at prices to suit every purse. Opening days, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. Come and bring your friends. 28-2

WANTED—Lady agents to travel. Wages and expenses. For further information call for Mr. Bacon, Room 31 Biggs House city. 27-2

WANTED—A girl for general house work. Mrs. J. J. Brushart, 423 Waller. 27-3

WANTED— Carpenter work of any kind. George Zeisler, 167 East Third. Phone 582. 27-2

WANTED—Ironing, cleaning and other work by the day. Mrs. Bird Johnson, phone B 1141. 25-4

WANTED—Boarders, 52 East Sixth street near Guy. 24-6

WANTED— Dressmaking. Make a specialty of Ladies' Tailored Suits. Miss Emma Wiehle, 74 East Seventh St. 10-36

WANTED—A girl for general house work, white girl preferred at 1335 Park avenue. 24-6

WANTED—Boy to help in bakery. Imperial Tea Store, 89 West Second St. 23-tf

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FOR SALE— Sterotype mats, better than paper for putting under carpets. Times office tf

FOR SALE—Baby cab, good as new. 1897 Grandview Ave. 27-2

FOR SALE—Twenty five foot shoe shine stand. All complete and very cheap. Inquire at the Smokehouse. 27-6

FOR SALE—2 fine mares, 8 years old, weight 2200; also 1 good cow. Joe Prather, Home phone 43 Wheelersburg Exchange. 25-3

FOR SALE—Young sound horse and harness at Ben Schwamberger's Sand Hill Farm, Wheelersburg. 28-3d-2W

FOR SALE— Fresh Jersey cow. 21 Mill street. 28-2

FOR SALE—Two gas heating stoves at 264 East Second. 28-3

FOR SALE—6x4 Eastman Kodak Call Home phone Y 223. 25-6

FOR SALE—Barguin, 714 East Eighth street, new seven room frame, gas and water, large lot on paved street and car line, cheap. Owner non resident. Address Lock Box 634, Jackson, Ohio. 22-6

FOR SALE— Model Radiator stove, No. 16, almost new at 356 East Sixth St. 27-6

FOR SALE—1 typewriter, 1 sewing machine, 1 double barrel shot gun, 1 gas cook stove. Call Swikert's grocery. 27-tf

FOR SALE—Lady's bicycle. Can be seen at 149 East Ninth. 27-3

FOR SALE—Two good cows, one with young calf See Philip Morris, Flat Hollow, Ky. 24-6

FOR SALE—A gentle family horse, good either for surrey or draft, perfectly safe for woman or children to drive. Dr. P. J. Kline. 24-6dW2

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FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Six room house, 16 East Third. 28-3

FOR RENT— Furnished room at 14 East Third. 28-3

FOR RENT—5 room cottage, gas and water. Eleventh street near Offnere. Apply C. F. Turner, Kendall building. 28-2

FOR RENT—Cheap, 4 room house Clara Foster, 905 Offnere. 28-tf

FOR RENT— Furnished room with bath, gas for heat and light 114 West Fourth street. 28-3

FOR RENT—4 room cottage, corner Grant and Offnere streets. R. A. Mitchell, phone X 685. 28-3

FOR RENT — Furnished rooms for light house keeping. Modern convenience, 260 East Eleventh street 28-4

FOR RENT—Four nice rooms on second floor, water and gas. $7.00. 117 West Sixth St. 28-3

FOR RENT - Houses of 4 to 10 rooms on Washington street and Court street. Call 82 West Third St. 27-6

FOR RENT—Four rooms up stairs, with gas and water on West Fourth. Inquire at 118 West Fourth. 27-tf

FOR RENT—10 room house with bath. Inquire Jacob Werner, 64 Gallia. 27-3

FOR RENT— Furnished rooms with bath, convenient to both car lines, either ladies or gentlemen at 1343 Lincoln or new phone X 1149. 27-3

FOR RENT—7 roomed house centrally located, bath and modern improvements. Thos. B. Lawson, 265 East Second. 27-6

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FOR RENT—4 room stable house on Franklin avenue. Phone B 1013. 25-3

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FOR RENT—5 room house with bath, 458 East Sixth street. For rent after October 1st Call Cecil Miller, Room 28 Turley Bldg. 24-tf

FOR RENT—3 flats; also large hall suitable for lodge purposes. Damarin Bldg., A. M. Damarin 20-tf

FOR RENT—One of the most beautiful and modern flats in the city in the Wilhelmette will be for rent after Aug. 22. Call Cecil S. Miller, Turley Building. 14-tf

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B. & O. BRAKEMAN KILLED IN WRECK

Dundas, a small town on the main line of the B. & O. S. W., four miles east of Hamden, was the scene of a bad wreck in which one train man was killed early Tuesday morning.

The Carbondale switch engine with a caboose attached was following freight No. 96 and both were headed for a siding to allow passenger train No. 1 to pass, when the former crashed into the rear of the freight. Lucky Seward, a rear brakeman, was crushed to death. Others of the crew escaped injury. Engineer Dave Thomas and Fireman Bob Garrett, of the switch engine, and both of whom formerly ran on the Portsmouth branch, had close calls for their lives. Thomas ran out on the running board of his engine while Garrett leaped from the cab. Seward was a Chillicothe boy and one of the most popular brakemen on the road. He was the financier of the Chillicothe division of the B. R. T.

Saw The Riots At McKees Rocks

Alfred Fagan, an old Portsmouth boy, who was a daily eye-witness to the riotous scenes that marked the recent strike at McKees Rock, Pa., arrived here Tuesday.

Al was employed at the big steel plant which was the scene of the labor trouble, and which resulted in a number of persons being killed and fully 500 wounded. Previously he was in the government service. He was taken sick a short time ago and had to undergo a delicate operation in a Pittsburg hospital, but is now feeling and looking better than ever before. He is visiting his uncle and aunt, Landlord and Mrs. Clay Wade, of the Acme hotel, in East Portsmouth.

Military overcoats at Haas'.

LOST

LOST—Small purse on Market street near Nash Grocery. Reward for return to 316 Market. 27-2

LOST— Rhinestone brooch. Return to 354 East Eleventh and receive reward. 27-2

LOST—Hand bag containing two purses with money, spectacles and tickets on Lehman's, between Fenzel's store and Martinsburg. Please return to C. Hasselman, Scioto ville, R. F. D. No. 1. 28-1

LOST—Ingersoll watch with fob on Gallia or Gay. Call phone A 599. 28-1

FOUND—A watch. Apply to T. D. Wallingford, No. 8 Front identify property and pay for this notice. 28-3

BUY, SELL OR TRADE.

Property of every description. If you have property to sell I will buy it. If you want to buy, I will sell. Office over The Central National Bank. Entrance No. 15 Gallia street. Home phone No 668 Bell No. 395 W.
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STROBEL SUNK MONEY IN OIL WELLS?

Tuesday's Enquirer said:

"Postoffice Inspector Hutches, upon whose report Postmaster John Strobel of Ironton, Ohio, was removed, arrived at headquarters in the Federal building here yesterday. He says that efforts had been made to keep the affair quiet and that but few residents of the town knew anything about it until they read yesterday morning's Enquirer announcing the change that had taken place by putting Assistant Postmaster R. S. Wiseman temporarily in charge.

Postmaster Strobel had held the office for the past 12 years, but recently reports, it is stated, were made to the Postoffice Department that there was some irregularities in his office, and Inspector Hutches was detailed to make an examination and report. In speaking of the matter Inspector Hutches states that the Postmaster was found to be short in his accounts to an amount that he thinks will exceed $1,000. Inspector Hutches says that he has not ascertained where this money went, but that he has learned Strobel was supposed to be heavily interested in oil well about 10 years ago, and that possibly he may have sunk a good deal of money in them.

The Portsmouth College of Music.
Will open the second academic year, Sept. 27, 1909. For tuition fees and other information see G. Mastropaolo, 1026 Offnere street, Portsmouth, O. 23-6

Condition Unchanged

Reports from the bedside of Miss Lydia Clark at Hempstead hospital are that her condition is unchanged. It is now over a month since she was shot in the back by her former lover, Harry Bliss.

When in want of good whiskey mail us your order. Express paid on orders of $2.50 or more. Price list furnished upon request.
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Taken to Hospital.
John Roy, an aged Mill street resident, who has been in failing health, was removed to Hempstead hospital Monday afternoon. Roy is a junk man but has been incapacitated for work for some weeks past.

Automobile overcoats at Haas'.

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Or will build one just like you want it on easy payments.
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ALBERT MAIER CAUGHT IN NET

Albert Maier was the first of the local brewery men to get caught in Judge Blair's net for alleged delivery of liquor, contrary to the provisions of the Rose law. He is local agent for the Lion brewery of Cincinnati. Both Maier and his driver, Albion Snyder, pleaded guilty to selling a case of beer to William Clifford, who was until recently in the soft drink business at 1023 Chillicothe street.

Clifford was caught up on the testimony of John James, the aged grand jury witness, who came down to the court house drunk last Thursday. He denied the sale at first but on Monday admitted to Judge Blair that he had sold the party real beer, and also it had been bought at wholesale here at the Maier depot.

This makes four persons convicted as the result of the old man James' testimony. Clifford himself is still awaiting sentence, while his youthful partner Bob Brown, was soaked $200 and costs and a workhouse sentence Monday by Judge Blair, as the first real horrible example of the court's wrath.

Sentences upon Maier and his driver have not yet been passed.

MURDER

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at its heighth. It is thought that he joined Scales later and fearing that he might be jailed as a confederate, he decided to join him in his flight.

Sheriff Gillen got the word shortly after nine o'clock and with Deputy Sheriff Eckhart and Officer Rickey went to the scene of the crime in an automobile. He first notified local police headquarters and they kept close watch upon all outgoing trains. The sheriff and his assistants were out all night trying to get trace of the fugitives but no clew has been obtained from any source. The N. & W. is running so many trains of nights now that the men had a comparatively easy chance to get far beyond pursuit. After a search that lasted until Tuesday noon, Sheriff Gillen and the other authorities practically gave up all hope of ever getting their man.

The murderer, Scales, is described as a very black negro, about 30 years old and weighing about 165 pounds. He has no especial marks of identification so far as known, but had been always regarded by other laborers as a dangerous man. In fact there had been a strong suspicion among some of them that he had either served time for murder, or was wanted some place for a bad crime. He was of surly, sullen disposition and of quick temper on slightest occasion. Foreman Barry regarded him as a good laborer, but shared the others' opinion that he was a dangerous man. He was the only man on the job known to have a gun. Other workmen say it was a big weapon, and the large gaping wound made in his victim's breast would tend to support this statement.

Stempson, the victim of the tragedy, was of directly opposite temperament, according to the foreman. He was a big, easy going negro who weighed about 220 pounds. His good nature generally allowed him to be imposed upon by the others. A search was made of his effects but there was positively no writing to show his exact place of residence. For this season it was decided to bury him at Lucasville.

Early Tuesday, Dr. Robe, the county coroner of this city, went out to Clifford and held the inquest. It was not deemed necessary to hold a post mortem examination, as the circumstances of the killing seemed to be pretty well established. Dr. Robe examined a number of witnesses and later turned over the body to Undertaker Hartman. The corpse had been left just as it fell until Dr. Robe arrived. He then communicated with the Valley township trustees, and the burial was authorized by them to be made in the potter's field at Lucasville cemetery. The coroner has not yet filed his formal verdict but it will be in accordance with these facts.

Foreman William Barry, Sr., for whom the men worked, lives in this city and has been in the employ of the N. & W. for some years. He is the father of John Barry, clerk at the Famous clothing store on West Second street.

From the authorities it is learned that a jug of whiskey may have had a part in this tragedy. It is known that as soon as the men got their pay Saturday several of them went to Chillicothe and elsewhere to get liquor and some were drinking yet on Monday. There was a report current that some of it had been procurred at Portsmouth and that Judge Blair had been acquainted with this alleged violation.

Like Stempson, the murderer Scales had never told any one the exact place where he came from, so that the authorities are baffled here, in attempting to get any trace of his past history.

Tuesday morning there was a story afloat that a strange negro had entered the Gray restaurant opposite the N. & W. depot Monday night with his hand cut and a big bruise on his forehead. Sheriff Gillen questioned Proprietor Gray and found that this negro was in his place at about the hour the killing took place and he could not have been the murderer, Scales. This party was hurt, but he likely met with his injuries in slighting from a train. He had an N. & W. pay check for about four dollars which he wanted to have cashed and this goes further to disprove that he had any connection with the crime, since both Scales and Strong had both drawn all the money coming to them Saturday.

Everything at Haas'.

No Wonder They Want Best Figures

The Diamond Flint Glass company, of Jackson, which contemplates moving its plant to this city, consumes 250,000 feet of gas daily, and that is why its officials are holding out for some definite understanding on fuel rates before finally arranging plans for the transfer.

Brings Home Case of Bloodpoisoning

N. R. Diboll, a former West Siler, who for the past three years has been located in the south, arrived home Tuesday suffering with a case of blood poisoning.

Diboll's left hand is afflicted, having developed blood poisoning from a bruise while employed as a millwright at the Carney Stove company's plant at Junction City, La. He will visit his son, Will Diboll, on the West Side.

"Never Got No Suicide Note" Says Cole

Friends of George Cole, better known as "Puss," are having a great deal of fun at his expense, claiming, despite the young stove molder's protests to the contrary, that he is the young man to whom Mrs. Green Music-King addressed her letter of affection before swallowing her dose of crecsote of sublimate at the Arlington hotel Tuesday. George vehemently denies the allegation and says he has been confused with another George Cole, who is a married man, while he has no matrimonial intention whatever.

Move Mixer of Concrete.
Kaps Bros. have moved their concrete mixer from off Jefferson street temporarily in order to rush inside work on the new Marting addition before cold weather sets in.

Object to Poles.
Several down town property owners are objecting to the placing of new poles on their newly laid cement sidewalks.

Here From Athens.
Dr. Bossyn, the B. & O. S. W relief man, was here from Athens again Tuesday on official business

HAD CRAMPS AND VOMITING SPELLS

An Indiana Woman Tells How She Was Cured by the Use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

There are women whose lives are continual rounds of suffering simply because the blood lacks the strength to make the functional activities of the body normal, without which no woman can enjoy perfect health. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are in this respect a blessing to women since they build up and strengthen the blood and repair the ills caused by overwork and worry, causes of a large percentage of woman's ills.

Miss Florence M. O'Brien, a dressmaker, of No. 803 Flora street, Washington, Ind., gladly tells of the benefit she received from Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, as follows:

"I had terrible cramps and vomiting spells regularly which lasted for several days. I was dizzy and awfully sick, was very much constipated, my stomach became disordered and bloated and at last got so sore and tender that I could not bear the least pressure upon it. The doctor with whom I treated said my trouble came from lack of out-door exercise and too much work running the sewing machine. But he did not help me and I found no relief until, upon the recommendation of a friend, I began taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I was soon helped and, after taking a few boxes, I was completely cured. I have remained in good health and recommend Dr. Williams' Pink Pills everywhere I go."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are the greatest discovery of modern times for suffering women. They are a positive cure for their particular ailments, are unequalled as a blood builder and therefore as a tonic for the whole system.

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Dr. Williams' Pink Pills should be used in all diseases caused by thin or impure blood, as anemia, rheumatism, stomach trouble, after-effects of the grip, and fevers, neuralgia, sick headaches and many forms of weakness.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by all druggists, or sent, postpaid, on receipt of price, 50 cents per box; six boxes for $2.50, by the Dr. Williams Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y.

GET SOUVENIRS OF HUDSON-FULTON CELEBRATION

Edward and Carroll Lodwick, young sons of Harry O. Lodwick of the Times' linotype force, have just received a swell assortment of souvenirs of the Hudson-Fulton celebration now in progress at New York city. They were sent them by their uncle, R. M. Lodwick, an old Portsmouth boy, who is a leading artist of the metropolis, with the Imperial Curtain company, in the swell Knickerbocker building on Broadway.

These souvenirs consist of about a dozen monogram pennants, novelty badges, a score or more of post cards, and souvenir program of various sorts, now on sale in that city. Newspaper clippings also came along, showing the great magnitude of the celebration and the whole outfit will make both an artistic and valuable memento of the occasion.

In this connection there comes quite a coincidence in Artist Lodwick's line of work. His chief employment is in painting drop curtains for theatres and one of his most notable is the front drop of the Grand Opera House at Cincinnati. Only recently he booked an order from Sun and Murray of the Orphium circuit, for a new drop curtain, and read with mingled pleasure and surprise that this curtain has to be delivered by January 1, 1909 to this firm's new theatre at the artist's old home in Portsmouth.

Notice of Last Excursion.
Official bulletins have been posted by the C. & O. announcing that the last excursion of the season on that road will be run Sunday, October 10th.

Freddie Who?
Rumor has it that a West End shoeworker is to wed early next month. Freddie says its not he.

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You need an occasional stimulant and tonic. But when you get whiskey for home use, be doubly sure you get unadulterated, trustworthy

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N. & W. PASSENGER IN REAR END COLLISION

A rear-end collision in which one man was hurt occurred on the N. & W. at Davis station during a heavy fog early Tuesday morning.

Passenger train No. 3, moving along at a pretty fair speed crashed into the rear of extra westbound freight train No. 1097, disabling the passenger train's engine and damaging the caboose of the other. George List, engineer of the passenger train, was severely bruised in jumping from the cab, but was able to proceed to Columbus. Passengers were jolted when the two trains came together. The collision was caused by the freight not being fully protected. The flagman had gone about 17 car lengths back and in the fog, the passenger engineer did not see him until too late to bring his train to a full stop. Another engine was rushed to the scene from here and the passenger train resumed its trip with a delay of only 30 minutes.

Messrs. Worster Bros. is pleased to announce to his customers that he has secured the agency for Zemo, the best known remedy for the positive and permanent cure of Eczema, Pimples, Dandruff, Blackheads, Pimples and every form of Skin or Scalp disease. ZEMO is a clean liquid for external use, gives instant relief and cures any form of skin or scalp disease by destroying the germ that causes the disease, leaving a clean healthy skin. Messrs. Worster Bros. will gladly show you proof of many remarkable cures made by ZEMO.

SPECIAL MEETING OF SONS OF V.

There will be a special meeting of the Gen. Jacob H. Smith Camp, Sons of Veterans at the home of G. H. Griswold, 15 East Second street, tomorrow, Wednesday evening, for final preparation for relic exhibition during the West End carnival. All members are urged to attend. The hour is 7:30 sharp.

Tommy Went To Cincinnati

Bartender Tommy Murphy went to Cincinnati Sunday and forgot to come back. Tom's friends have a suspicion that he followed little Hip.

Father Is Improving

Webster McGinnis, the aged father of Alvin McGinnis, and whose life was despaired of at Hamden a few days ago, is now reported slightly improved.

Let There Be Light Says "Si"

The Salvage company today put up two powerful arc lights in front of their Chillicothe street store. They are of the kind now being put up by the city but the globes are different, being similar to those in front of the West End Business association's headquarters.

New fall suits at Haas'.

J.W. Flanders Seriously Ill

John W. Flanders is seriously ill at his home, 1420 Findlay street. Mr. Flanders has been afflicted for many years, and most of the time confined to the house.

Accident Theory Is Strengthened

There are as yet no new developments regarding the death of Miss Katie Patten, the shoe factory girl, whose body was found in the Ohio river last Thursday morning.

The belief of Mrs. Patten that her daughter was accidentally drowned was strengthened when on Tuesday morning she visited the spot where the body was found. She had gone to her husband's family boat to carry some articles aboard and it was with greatest difficulty that she managed to cross the spar pole from which it is believed Katie fell. Mrs. Patten had to be helped across by her son, Otis Patten.

James Patten, father of the dead girl, is preparing to move his boat to the Kentucky side of the river. He expects to repaint it and then begin his trip south on which Katie was to have been his traveling companion.

MRS. RADCLIFFE

Of Radcliffe and Bellmont, rifle experts at Majestic tonight.

Frost In The Country

Reports from the rural districts tell of a frost Monday night. Over on Carey's Run it was sufficient to damage the pumpkin crop. But for the ground having been unusually dry results would have been worse. Considerable tobacco is still out but it is thought to have escaped damage.

Good Woman Buried.

The funeral of Mrs. Louisa E. Schafer, who died at New Boston Friday evening, was conducted at her home Sunday morning at 10 o'clock, before a large congregation of friends and relatives. Rev. B. F. Porter, the officiating minister, was rolled to the house in his invalid chair. The congregation showed a spirit of sympathy and respect toward him. The lady was interred in Greenlawn cemetery to rest until judgment day.

Mrs. Schafer was a good Christian woman.

A Friend of the Family.

Top coats at Haas'.

Mrs. E. B. Moore, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Kehoe the past two weeks, left Tuesday for Troy, O., to visit her daughter, Mrs. Fan in Geyger and family.

2 ARE FINED BY MAYOR MONDAY

Rolly Sheets appeared in police court Monday evening and admitted that he and his wife drank too much at Chillicothe Sunday, and that they arrived here in anything but a sober condition. Rolly's wife was unable to appear on account of illness. Sheets drew $4.50 and costs. A similar dose was feted out to Joe Bradbury, who had been arrested on the charge of being drunk and abusing his wife. Bradbury was very penitent and stated that it was the first time in his life that he ever gave his wife a cross word. He promised to be real good in the future, but this did not save him from drawing a fine of $4.50.

Jas. Cutlip Opens Grocery

James Cutlip, a well known resident of the North End, has opened up a new grocery at 1016 Chillicothe street, where he will carry one of the most complete lines of fancy and staple groceries in the city. Mr. Cutlip intends to go after business right and has placed a phone in his new store where his friends may get him by calling A 1639. He has a very wide acquaintanceship over the city and will doubtless succeed in his new venture.

Thank the N. & W. Officials

The board of trade directors at a meeting held Monday night adopted resolutions thanking Gen. Manager N. D. Maher and other N. & W. officials for extending trains Nos. 17 and 18 in the service.

Garland of Grapes.

We have a car of fine grapes, twenty pound baskets. Also car of table grapes from Chautauqua, New York, at a low price. C. F. Turner, Chillicothe street. 28-2

THE MARKETS

Opening.

Wheat Sept. $1.03⅜; Dec. 99⅝; May $1.02½.

Corn Sept. 65½; Dec. 58⅝; May 61.

Oats Sept. 41; Dec. 30; May 41⅞.

Close.

Wheat Sept. $1.05⅞; Dec. $1.01; May $1.04⅝.

Corn Sept. 67⅛; Dec. 59½; May 61⅝.

Oats Sept. 41⅞; Dec. 30⅝; May 42½.

PENNANTS ARRIVE

The pennants for the motor boat race to be held during the West End trade carnival arrived at Alex Gerkins's hardware store Monday night.

The pennants are blue with white emblem, the initials, "W. E. T. C." standing for West End trade carnival. They were made by Draper and Maynard, of Plymouth, N. H.

Notice.

All members of Manilla Rebekah lodge are requested to be present Wednesday evening, Sept. 29. Business of importance will be brought up and a committee has been appointed to arrange a social part. This committee has agreed to time to make it very interesting.

Visited Parents.

Sunday's Irontonian said: Ben Lynd will come up from Portsmouth today to visit his parents before leaving for a trip through the south in the interest of the Dutch Cleanser company.

Piles And Purgatory

Begin With The Same Letter And There Are Other Resemblances.

Suffer! Oh, no! "Suffer" don't express it, but there is the PYRAMID PILE CURE. It's a cure that comes to stay and gives one a fresh grip on things.

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No wonder. But listen. We are so sure that our remedy will cure you that we will send you a Free Treatment. This will begin to show you what enough of it will do and then you can go to your drug store and get as much as you need. It won't be more than a box or so.

Don't Put Off

getting rid of this terrible trouble. Of itself it is hard enough to endure, but it leads to things worse. In truth it badly disarranges the entire lower bowel tract; creates ulcers, abscesses and a series of evils any one of which can easily prove fatal.

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Fill out the blank lines below with your name and address, cut out coupon and mail to the PYRAMID DRUG COMPANY, 216 Pyramid Bldg., Marshall, Mich. A trial package of the great Pyramid Pile Cure will then be sent you at once by mail, FREE, in plain wrapper.

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PROHIBS ARE TO NAME A TICKET

The Prohibition Association of this city will meet Thursday evening Sept. 30th, at Herr's hall, corner of Gay and Gallia streets, for the purpose of nominating a city ticket. Meeting at 7:30 o'clock. 28-3

To Play At Waverly

Frank Frowine, manager of the Play House foot ball squad, has secured a game with a Waverly team and will take his bunch of moleskin warriors to the Pike county metropolis next Saturday.

Sweater vests at Haas'.

SHOT TO DEATH IN THE SOUTH

Word was received by friends in the city Tuesday that William Tennant, a former N. & W. engineer who lived here about eight years ago, had been shot and instantly killed by a negro in a small town near Mobile, Ala.

According to the information received by the local parties, Tennant and the negro had some trouble over the latter's wife, who is said to be a white woman. Tennant was shot five times, dying instantly.

Tennant will be recalled in railroad circles as being one of the first to come here with the N. & W. when the terminals were located at this point. He came from Roanoke and boarded in the East End. He did not remain in this city very long and after his departure all traces of his whereabouts were lost until word was received of his tragic death.

Victimizing St. Car Men

Trouble is brewing for a certain well known young man of the city, said to be socially prominent, who has been victimizing street car employes out of their hard earned pay. According to the story of one of the "buncoed," the young fellow has worked himself into the good graces of at least a dozen employes of the Street Railway company and has borrowed from their at different times sums aggregating $30. When asked for payments of some of the loans the fellow has always been ready with excuses and in some cases even succeeded in increasing his loans. Now, unless the young man quickly forks over the boys say they will join together and prosecute to the limit of the law.

"BOB" MAINES GOES WEST

Robert "Bob" Mains left this morning on the early N. & W. for Cincinnati, from where he will take a train for Los Angeles, California, says the Irontonian. Bob has not been in the best of health for some time and he hopes the change in climate will benefit him. He intends to stay west all winter and his many Ironton friends hope that he will regain his once good health and return to Ironton again next season. Bob has been one of Ironton's mainstays behind the bat and his services will be sadly missed.

Great Game At Pond Creek

The fans of Pond Creek witnessed one of the fastest games of ball of the season Sunday between the Pond Creek Centrals and the Nellie Stars, assisted by S. Freeman and Fred Thompson, of Barden, and E. Pollock, of McDermott. Score by innings:

Innings.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
N. S.	0	0	0	2	4	1	1	3	0	—11
P. C. C.	2	0	2	2	0	0	1	2	1	—10

Automobile style sweater vests at Haas'.

PIKETON PITCHER SURE ENUFF WONDER

Roy Dunham, young ball pitcher, of Piketon, O., and a first cousin of Wiley Dunham, former Portsmouth pitcher, has been secured by a Chillicothe club to twirl against a strong Dayton (O.) club on next Sunday. Arrangements are being made for a large delegation of Piketon fans to accompany the young lad up and help him add another victory to his long list this season. Dunham has pitched 25 games this season and lost one, winning 24. Dunham is but 17 years of age, stands almost six feet in height and weighs 185 pounds. This is his first summer on the diamond. He is a promising youngster and will likely get a tryout in some of the smaller leagues next season.

HELEN PULLMAN

As 8 year old Claudia in "The Prince Chap" at the Grand Wednesday, Sept. 29th.

SOCIAL NEWS

The King's Heralds society of Trinity church held a regular monthly meeting at the home of Frank Hryson, Grandview avenue and Eighteenth street, with a very good attendance. A good program was rendered. Mrs. Flowers gave a very interesting paper on "How to Fill Your Mite Boxes." Mrs. Smith impressed it on the children to save their pennies. There were recitations by Ethel Flowers, Helen Frowine, Alta Marsh, Abbie Riggle and Lessie Flowers. The next meeting will be at the home of Louise McCall, of new Fifth street.

Auxiliary to Sons of Veterans will meet in business and social session at the home of Mrs. Chas Rowe on Friday afternoon at two o'clock.

Mrs. Stella Simkins and daughter Elizabeth of Portsmouth spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Keever and family of Mill street, says the Chillicothe Gazette.

Tuesday's Irontonian noted that Mr. and Mrs. E. Herman and family of Portsmouth, came up from Portsmouth in their new touring car, Sunday and were the guests of Mrs. Chas Stagl and at the Miller home on Second and Vernon streets.—Misses Elizabeth Staker and Elizabeth Schreader of this city, were the guests of Portsmouth friends, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Byers and little daughter Mildred have returned from a visit to Cincinnati and Ft. Thomas, Ky.

Lehman's for shoes.

Why Brushart Fears Law Suit

J. J. Brushart, Chillicothe street grocer, has visions of a law suit headed his way over the purchase of a barrel of sorghum molasses he made from a well known West Side farmer recently. Jake bought the syrup, which was guaranteed to be in first class shape, but when he got it safely put away in his store there was a roar like the discharge of a cannon and he found the barrel had burst, scattering the sticky, sweet stuff all over creation.

"Gee! I've been given the David Harum grip," said Jake; "that stuff was fermenting."

Later the farmer called and wanted pay for his syrup, but Jake said nay, nay. Now the farmer threatens to sue.

BOND ISSUE CARRIES FOR WAVERLY WATER WORKS

Waverly, O., Sept. 28.—(Special to the Times.)—By a vote of nearly four to one the electors of Waverly Monday approved the issue of $35,000 of bonds for the purpose of erecting a municipal water works system. The result of the election being 249 votes for and 72 against, a total of 321 having been cast, which is a pretty fair proportion of the total vote of the city, when it is considered that there was no person interested in getting out a large vote. The opposition to the project on the part of the larger taxpayers was determined but unorganized and the election was very quietly conducted.

No plans for a plant have been considered, but it is believed that the water works plant can be economically combined with the municipal electric light plant which the city has operated most satisfactorily and successfully for a number of years past.

Royal Arcanum To Meet.

Royal Arcanum will meet tonight at Eagles hall, Sixth and Chillicothe streets. Members are urged to be present, as business of importance will be transacted.

To Attend The Wedding

Ed Stanton arrived here from Columbus Sunday to attend the Harold-Stanton nuptials, Wednesday.

On His Vacation.

Officer Thomas W. McCarty is enjoying a week's vacation.

Miss Emma Layher of West Sixth street, has returned home from a visit to her sister, Mrs. George Postal in Cincinnati.

Large Crowd On C. & O.

Two hundred and sixty-nine persons took advantage of the C. & O. excursion to Cincinnati on Sunday which is near the record for an excursion on a day other than a regular holiday.

Brotherhood overalls at Lehman's.

Mrs. Adolph Hurth and two sons, Charles and Robert, left on Tuesday for a week's visit with relatives at Cincinnati.

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HOT-WEATHER LAXATIVE FREE

At no other time of the year is the tendency to constipation greater than during the summer months, and this is especially the time that it is most important to keep the bowels open. The heat ripens food, there are germs in the water, and even fruit has its dangers. For a dozen and one reasons the bowels should be kept open—you should have at least one good passage a day, and in the case of children and young people, two a day is better. The best way to obtain such relief, and to thoroughly regulate the stomach, liver and bowels, is by the use of DR. CALDWELL'S SYRUP PEPSIN, the great laxative tonic. It is not a temporary relief like salts and purgative waters, and it does not gripe, like tablets and pills. It is so pleasant to take, and so gentle in action, that children prefer it to any other laxative. It is the children's ideal remedy for their stomach, liver and bowel troubles. *Use it* for constipation, indigestion, sick headache, biliousness, loss of appetite and sleep, drowsiness after eating, diarrhoea, "Summer Complaint," gas or wind on the stomach, etc. A bottle can be obtained of any druggist at 50 cents or $1.00. Thousands of families keep it regularly in the house because a laxative may be needed at any moment, and those who once use DR. CALDWELL'S SYRUP PEPSIN always prefer it thereafter.

Those who have never yet used DR. CALDWELL'S SYRUP PEPSIN and would like to write a letter to Dr. Caldwell before buying in the regular way from their druggist, can obtain a FULL SIZED BOTTLE (6 Size) for themselves or any member of their family by sending name and address to the doctor. The sample will be sent to your home free of charge. In this way you can find out what it will do with several. Also if the user prefers delicacies that do not forward other remedies seem needless to offer, write a letter to Dr. Caldwell anyhow. Tell him how the sample did you good, and he will give you his best advice FREE OF CHARGE. Based on half a century of experience in stomach, liver and bowel diseases, children, chronic invalids who have children should read the DR. CALDWELL'S QUESTIONS TO MOTHERS, containing the doctor's advice on diet, bathing, etc., in hot weather—a very important subject. The address is

DR. W. B. CALDWELL,
510 Caldwell Bldg., Monticello, Illinois

Ohio Improvement To Revive Business

Cincinnati, O., Sept. 28.—That the glorious old days of busy river traffic on the Ohio will be revived when the river is improved so as to make it a permanent and reliable highway for commerce, is the contention of the Ohio Valley Improvement association, that will hold its annual convention in Cincinnati, October 14 and 15.

The mayors and commercial organizations of 70 towns along the river from Pittsburg to Cairo will send a thousand delegates to the convention. They know how river traffic has declined, and they will urge making the water way as reliable as the trains, and thus, they say, cause an inevitable revival of river business. Figures show that in recent years there has been a steady decline in Ohio river business.

Ten years ago, in 1899, the number of steamers engaged in the freight and passenger business between Cincinnati and other points was 29, and their total tonnage was 16,311. In 1909 the number of steamboats was reduced to 23, and the tonnage to 11,633. The Bonanza was the last of the boats to go out of commission. She was dismantled in 1908.

The arrivals and departures of steamers at Cincinnati for the past thirty years also shows a great decline in river business at Cincinnati. In 1873 the arrivals of steamboats at Cincinnati were 2596, and the departures 2600. The high watermark for the past third of a century was reached in 1879, when the arrivals of steamboats numbered 3163, and the departures 3167. Ten years later, in 1889, the arrivals decreased to 2257. In 1893 the arrivals and departures dropped below the 2000 mark and they never again passed that mark. In 1899 the arrivals declined to 1685 and the departures to 1612. Last year the arrivals were only 1292, and the departures 1291, or less than half as many as thirty years ago.

"How do you account for this decline?" Capt. J. F. Ellison, secretary of the Ohio Valley Improvement association, was asked. "The decline was caused by the unreliability of the river. You can not depend upon its stage of water. When the river is improved, as our association has urged, it will have a permanent nine-foot stage between Pittsburg and Cairo, and steamboats will run with the regularity of trains the year through. Then capital will not hesitate to put money into transportation companies and steamboat lines and the river business will again boom. It will mean steamboat competition for the railroads and will prove an impetus for the industry of the entire Ohio valley.

"Years ago the river business was larger than now, because the river was not lined with railroads. There was no railroad to Huntington and no track to Pittsburg.

"On account of the unfavorable river stage there has been no boat out of Cincinnati to Pomeroy for two or three weeks, no boat to Pittsburg for ten weeks and none to Cairo since July 5. When the river is made a permanent, steady and reliable waterway for boats, you will see a vast business revival along the Ohio."

OHIO FARMER'S AGENCY IS NOW IN NEW HANDS

We desire to announce to the public and the policy holders of the company, that we have purchased the Ohio Farmer's agency for Scioto county and we expect to extend every business courtesy to its patrons.

The offices of the company in the future, will be in the present offices of J. W. Inman, No. 6 and 7 Krickerbilling over the Central National Bank, right near the postoffice, and we would be pleased to receive a call from every policy holder of the company whenever the opportunity affords. Come in and see us the first time you are in the city, as we are very desirous of making your acquaintance. If by an oversight you should not hear from us before your policy expires, please notify us at once and greatly oblige,

Yours respectfully,
J. W. Inman and W. R. Graham
Agents.

Phones: Home 668. Bell 395 W. 27-3td&W

Goes To Columbus.

Miss Myrle Mault, head bookkeeper at the Portsmouth Steel Company's office, has gone to Columbus for a visit.

Seat Sale For Prince Chap

The seat sale for Charles Emerson Cook's production of "The Prince Chap" which will be here on Wednesday opened this morning at the box office. This charming play which has never been seen here before, is from the versatile and popular pen of Edward Peple. It has scored a wonderful success, running for a year in New York City, another year in London and a whole season in Australia.

FATAL SHOOTING IN "BLOODY" BREATHITT

Jackson, Ky., Sept. 28.—J. C. Hurst, Republican candidate for county judge of Breathitt county, was accidentally shot yesterday by his brother Hannibal Hurst. The shooting occurred at the judge's home in Willhurst and it is feared the wound will cause his death. There being no trains on the Ohio & Kentucky railroad last night a handcar was secured and took Dr. A. Arnold from this city to Willhurst.

Secures A New Auto

J. Lane Dinsmore is the owner of an 1909 Stoddard automobile that he secured in Dayton recently. Mr. Dinsmore is a well konwn traveling man and resides at 149 Seventeenth street, this city.

RALLY DAY AT U. B. CHURCH

Sunday, Oct. 3rd, is to be rally day everywhere and the U. B. church is not to lag in the matter. Our school is a commendable one and at each session there is found a large number of earnest workers, and you are to be one of them on this day. Lay everything aside and come or you will miss much. The pastor, the superintendent, the teachers and all are alive and the work is moving. But you can help. Bring your babies, bring your parents, bring your children, bring your hired girls even if you do have to wait half an hour for your dinner. If your babies cry there is an abundance of room in the rear to entertain them and many little girls that will furnish you all the amusement for them that you want. Bring your birds and let them sing too. So the old, the middle-aged, the young men and women, the girls and the boys, the babies and the birds are expected to be present. Let us all be there. If you are not attending Sabbath school anywhere, you are welcome at ours.

WM. BALLMAN TURNS UP O. K.

Will Ballman, whom reports had disappearing from his home here, turned up safely Sunday night and very much surprised that any concern had been felt over his going.

Will had been called to Covington, Ky., Saturday afternoon by word that his uncle, John McCarr, a boilermaker, had died of cancer. He had but a few minutes' time to catch a train and arranged with a messenger boy to notify his wife of his going. The boy failed to do so until on Sunday evening. Meanwhile Mrs. Ballman had become alarmed over her husband's absence and notified the police.

Not a Lost Art.

Some people suppose graining is a lost art, but it is not, that is it is not if you have Brehmer, Home phone 917, do it for you. He not only promises but he gives satisfaction.

DENIZEN CLUB NAMES NEW OFFICERS

At a meeting of members of the Denizen club in their quarters in the Masonic temple Monday evening, the following officers were elected: President, Ralph Streich; financial secretary, Eugene Stewart, and recording secretary, Harry Shaw. The retiring officers are, president, Emerson Kugelman; recording secretary, Tom J. Drugan, and financial secretary, Earl M. Blake.

The finance of the organization are in splendid shape and it is planned to give the club rooms a thorough renovation.

NOTICE

The White Rose Council No. 54 Degree of Pocahontas will meet Tuesday night at the Dice hall. A full attendance is desired as business of importance to be transacted. Each member is requested to bring a box for initiatory purposes.

4 Families Left City

Louis Peel of the Samuel Horchow company packed the household effects of four families Monday for shipment to other cities. They were those of Samuel P. Baird, who is moving to Columbus, Dr. J. F. Elder for Denver, Colo. Mrs. Wells of East Fourth street, for Cincinnati and Dr. M. H. Shumway for Columbus.

CARTER GETS OFFER OF JOB

Owen Carter, proprietor of a Chillicothe street soft drink parlor, has received an offer of a position at his home town, Ashland, Ky., and has practically decided to accept same. In that event he will close out his place here.

NEW FEATURES AT MAJESTIC THIS WEEK

Looks like a big night tonight at the Majestic theatre five big feature vaudeville acts, illustrated song and moving pictures. You will wonder how they can do it, and all real good acts at that. The Jolly Four are some singers and they introduce some good comedy. Cornella, the man with two voices, is nothing short of a wonderful, while Prof. Zano is a wizard, and that's no dream. Radcliff and Belmont ought to be with Teddy Roosevelt in Africa, as they are some shooters, and Josephine McIntyre! Well, she'll please you all with her impersonations. In singing, dancing and character changes she is about the cleverest little Miss that has appeared in this city. Harry Evans has another hit in the way of an illustrated song, and the show is closed with the usual fine assortment of motion pictures.

Big crowds were out for the opening shows Monday and were enthusiastic in their praise of the big seven act bill.

Buying Machinery.

Charles Krauser and Don Jewell spent Sunday in Cincinnati, buying new machinery for the U. S. Laundry.

News And Gossip From The Capitol

Columbus, O., Sept. 28.—J. C. Rosser, of Shelby county, who is a candidate for the Republican nomination for state treasurer, got a jolt when the Republican central committee of his county ignored him and endorsed the candidacy of State Printer John L. Sullivan for the nomination of secretary of state. If Mr. Rosser does not have the backing of his county it will be useless for him to enter the race. Mr. Sullivan is from Auglaize county which is in the same congressional district as Shelby. He is the first candidate for a state office to be filled next year to get a county endorsement.

Monday afternoon the state printing commission, composed of the secretary of state, auditor of state and attorney general, let the contract for the stationery for the state's use during the next year. It amounts to about $40,000 and is divided up among a number of firms. The contract for the automobile tags for next year, some 25,000, will be let some time this week. Next year's tags will be mahogany color. The contract will be in the neighborhood of $10,00.

Plans for the big celebration to be given at Put-In-Bay in 1913 were outlined at the meeting of the Perry's victory and international peace centennial commission in Columbus Monday afternoon. It is proposed to erect a permanent memorial building on the island at a cost of from $50,000 to $100,000. The Dominion of Canada has promised to take part in the celebration and the commissioners boast that they will be able to persuade the Prince of Wales to attend and see the place where the Britishers got an awful licking. The centennial will mark 100 years of peace with Great Britain.

State Mine Inspector George Harrison is bitter in his denunciation of the grand juries of Jefferson and Belmont counties. He says that it is impossible for the department to get convictions in those counties for violations of the mining laws. He has just been advised of the liberation by the Belmont county grand jury of a fire boss who permitted a party of miners to go into a portion of a mine he had examined and found to contain gas. An explosion took place and six men were seriously burned. The department was confident a conviction would be secured. Not long ago a mine superintendent in Jefferson county was arrested and bound over to the grand jury for alleged criminal negligence, but to Inspector Harrison's chagrin the superintendent was let go free and then was made a member of the grand jury.

State School Commissioner Zeller has selected ex-Senator Calvin P. Godfrey, of Ottawa, and examiner in the state accounting bureau, to probe the charges of misuse of public school funds in Steubenville. Mr. Godfrey is an expert accountant and will go to Steubenville at an early date. Reputable citizens filed a charge with the commissioner that the school funds were being misappropriated, but did not specify in what way or who was responsible. Prosecuting Attorney Paisley suggested the name of an investigator, a local man, but Commissioner Zeller deemed it best to select a person who is not a resident.

E. O. Randall, supreme court reporter, one of the best platform speakers in the state, will deliver an address at the meeting of the Ohio Valley Historical association, which meets at Frankfort, Ky., Oct 13-15. All the states bordering on the Ohio river are included in the membership.

Cuts Face On Wire Fence

Davis Chenlwood, gardener for J. W. Bunion, was badly cut about the face by coming in contact with a barbed wire fence Monday evening.

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Thorough renovation and improved accommodations.

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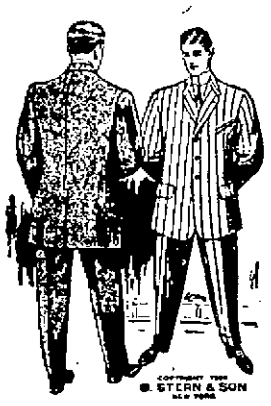

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Extra quality Cotton Blankets per pair 50c.

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Full 16 oz. to the roll in fine white Cotton at 10c, 12 1-2c and 15c per roll.

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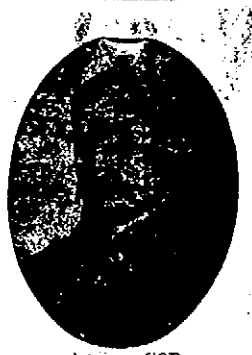

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No. 16, Daily ..... 11:42 a. m.
No. 32 Daily, ex. Sun.. 7:26 p. m.
No. 4 daily, fast train 12:01 a. m.
No. 34, Sunday only.... 9:28 p. m.

Columbus District—Westbound

No. 3 daily, fast train 3:55 a. m.
No. 33, Daily ..... 7:28 a. m.
No. 15, Daily ..... 3:42 p. m.

Cincinnati District.

No. 23 daily, fast train 4:10 a. m.
No. 35 Daily, ex. Sun.. 7:33 a. m.
No. 27 Daily ..... 2:10 p. m.
No. 25 Daily, fast train 3:45 p. m.

Cincinnati to Portsmouth.

Lv. 7:00 a.m. daily, ar. 10:35 a.m.*
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No. 1, daily ..... 5:25 a. m.
No. 3, daily ..... 1:54 p. m.
No. 17, daily ex. Sun... 7:16 a. m.
No. 7, daily ..... 2:18 p. m.

East Bound

No. 2, daily ..... 2:48 p. m.
No. 4, daily ..... 12:05 a. m.
No. 6, daily ..... 11:30 a. m.
No. 16, daily ex. Sun... 7:01 p. m.

EXCURSION RATES
Cincinnati Every Sunday $1.50!

Boston and return $34.05.
New York and return $22.50.
Seattle, Wash., and return $72.75
One way Colonist to Pacific Coast points $30.45.
Ticket office, Washington hotel.
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Young Churchmen Receive Invitations

Several hundred local young men, some of whom attend services at the Second Presbyterian church and others who have no regular church home received the following invitation through the mail Tuesday:

Dear Sir:—Several of the young men, married and unwarried, attendants of the Second Presbyterian church, more or less regularly, feel that they would like to have some simple organization in order to get better acquainted that would bring them together and help each other in the varied ways they may be able. We have therefore decided to have a good hearty supper, without any frills, in the church dining room at 6 o'clock, Thursday night, September 30th. This is not intended for mere refreshment, but for your evening meal, and come, if you prefer, right from your work in your every day clothes, as the boys themselves will wait on the tables, and it will be purely a stag affair. We want you to come, and if you must go somewhere else later in the evening, come to the supper just the same, but stay as long as you can, as there will be some good music by a male quartet, a monologue stunt by Mr. Sam A. Williams, and some things briefly told, you will want to hear. One of our number has a plan that will meet just about what we have been wanting a good while, and he will lay it before us, right then and there, in a few minutes, before we leave the tables.

This entirely informal invitation is just a suggestion of the free and easy time we expect to have at the supper. Come and enjoy yourself without money and without price. The supper will begin promptly, but if you have to be a little late we will save a plate for you. Now please use the enclosed card to let us know at once whether we can expect you, as we are inviting a lot of the boys who are in the same boat as ourselves—that is not as much at church as we might be—and we want to know just how many to plan for.

Just put your name on the card and make us happy by at once saying you will be with us. Remember that when you have had supper you can eat and run if you want to as this will be no tedious talking bee.

Very respectfully, John W. Berndt, Sam A. Williams, Benj. G. Harris, Walter A. Doerr, Mark F. Wilcox, L. J. Morehead, Henry L. Stahler, Melville G. Bothwell, Henry Padan, Sanford Linck, David D. Mitchell, William E. Clayton, Committee.

BIG BOOST FOR ORPHIUM SHOW

What the Lexington Leader says about Harry Lewis' dogs which played the Hipp last week, and are at the Orphium this week:

Harry Lewis' dogs and monkeys are attracting no end of attention since their three performances at the Hipp Monday. Every child will enjoy the performance, for it is replete with dog and monkey acts which please. Dogs push in lady carriages with another dog playing the infant; a grotesque little monkey gets tired of his clothes and disrobes; a dog acts the part of sneak thief, slips his leash, steals another's meat and gets back into his collar without his master's detection.

There are big dogs, little dogs and dogs; but the climax of the act is a chimpanzee which seems to be able to do everything but talk. No Mr. Grump in the chimney corner ever smacked his pipe with more apparent satisfaction. In acrobatic stunts he "does things" and brings screams of laughter from the younger element who are interested in seeing him overcome such obstacles as chairs in the road when he rides a bicycle.

Four Nightingales, that singing four, are great, if advance notices count.

Tommy Overholt, the boy with the restless feet, with pictures to close. A handsomely balanced bill replete with a variety of good things you have not witnessed in Portsmouth in a long time.

The Orphium's first nighters were out in force Monday night, and pronounce the bill one of the very best of the season.

Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

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Sold by Druggists, 75c.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

OTHER DISPLAYS THAN WAR RELICS

H. T. Fairtrace, chairman of the committee having in charge the relic exhibition to be given by the Gen. Jacob H. Smith Camp, Sons of Veterans during the carnival week in the West End, wants the public to know that the statement published that the exhibition would be of war relics only is incorrect. Relics of all kinds are solicited and the boys would be glad to have anything in the relic line. The aim is to make the exhibition complete as possible, and from the general assistance tendered the Sons of Veterans, it bids fair to be the largest and best ever given in southern Ohio.

ECZEMA IS NOW JURABLE.

ZEMO, a clean liquid for external use, stops itching instantly and permanently cures eczema and every form of itching skin or scalp disease. Messrs. Worster Bros., the druggists, says ZEMO is the most successful and meritorious remedy they have ever sold for the prompt relief and positive cure of eczema and every form of itching skin disease. Ask for sample and see display and photos of many remarkable cures made by ZEMO.

Col. Smith Is Laid Up

Col. Floyd L. Smith is laid up at his home on East Second street with a severe attack of bronchitis.

Pawpaws And Salmon Pie

Capt. John Davis, of the ferryboat Emily, reports an abundance of paw-paws and apples on the Kentucky hills back of Fullerton. He says salmon fishing is at its best just at the present time below Coney Island.

For Feverishness and Aching.

Whether from Malarious conditions, Colds or overheating, try Hicks' CAPUDINE. It reduces the fever and relieves the aching. It's liquid—10, 25 and 50 cents at Drug Stores.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Clerk of the Board of Education of Valley Township, Scioto County, Ohio, until 12 o'clock, noon, of

Wednesday, October 27th, 1909,

for the material and labor required for the whole work, and for each separate and distinct trade or mechanical labor necessary for the erection and completion of a two-room Brick School House, situated in Lucasville, Valley Township, Scioto County, Ohio; also for the steam heating of the present frame School House, situated in the aforesaid village for said Board of Education according to the plans and specifications and upon conditions named therein, to be seen at the office of said Clerk, and at the office of A. B. Alger & Sons, Architects, Portsmouth, Ohio, on and after Saturday, October 16th, 1909.

Each bid must contain the name and address of each and every person interested therein, and must be accompanied by sufficient guarantee by some disinterested person or persons in a penalty equal to one-quarter (1-4) of the amount bid, that if the bid is accepted a contract will be entered into, and the performance of same properly secured.

Each bid must be endorsed upon the envelope with the bidder's name and the kind of work bid upon.

The said Board of Education, reserves the right to reject any one or all of the bids or parts of bids, or to waive defects, should it deem it to the interest of said Board to do so.

By order of the Board of Education.

G. L. BRICKER, Clerk.

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38 West Fourth St.

Must Construct Roads With Best Material

Cleveland, O., Sept. 28.—One of the noteworthy features of last week's national good roads convention in Cleveland was the general acceptance of the fact that the problem thrust upon roadmakers by the increasing use of the automobile must be met in the most practical and scientific manner. Complaints, once so loud against road destruction by motor cars, are no longer importunate. Those interested in the solution of the difficulty are turning to road improvements and the use of better material in construction.

The United States office of public roads has performed a valuable service in this respect in its recent road tests in co-operation with the American Automobile association. This governmental interest is still further illustrated by the recent action of the engineering department, of Cornell university, which has arranged with the United States office of public roads to conduct a series of comparative tests of road building materials. A road consisting of a number of different materials will be built. The road to be utilized for this purpose is a continuation of the state road at East Ithaca, New York. It will be constructed in sections of brick, concrete and bituminous macadam of different kinds.

Nearly a dozen manufacturers of bituminous macadam have decided to co-operate with the university authorities in this work. The road will be inspected by engineers well versed in road building and the result of the tests, when published, will undoubtedly be of great value toward determining the most effective methods for road construction.

Open That Door And Let Me Out

Passengers from off the C. & O. flyer found themselves in a strange predicament when an Interstate transfer bus halted in front of the Washington hotel on Monday afternoon. The bus door had become securedly locked and all efforts of the driver to open same were futile. Some eight or ten men and two women were imprisoned and they did not seem to relish the idea very well. A crowd soon gathered and this only added to their discomfort. The hackman enlisted the aid of Adolph Gloekner, who came upon the scene with a steel saw. Dolph got busy and within a short time had sawed the lock off and the passengers lost no time getting out.

Gilbert Clark Returns Home

Gilbert Clark, brother of Philo S. Clark, returned to his home in Newcastle, Pa., Monday. He is engaged in the queensware business. Their venerable mother is still living at the ripe old age of 91 years.

Fletcher Goes To Hamilton

Jake Pfau's pacer, Fletcher Burns, was shipped to Hamilton, O., Monday. Fletcher will start there this week. But for a bad knee he would have treated Portsmouth people to a still greater performance than he did last Saturday afternoon.

CONSTIPATION

"For over nine years I suffered with chronic constipation and during this time I had to take an injection of warm water once every 24 hours before I could have an action on my bowels. Happily I tried Cascarets, and today I am a well man. During the nine years before I used Cascarets I suffered untold misery with internal piles. Thanks to you I am free from all that this morning. You can use this in behalf of suffering humanity."

E. P. Fisher, Roanoke, Ill.

Best for The Bowels

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THEY WORK WHILE YOU SLEEP

Pleasant, Palatable, Potent, Taste Good, Do Good, Never Sicken, Weaken or Gripe, 10c, 25c, 50c. Never sold in bulk. The genuine tablet stamped C.C.C. Guaranteed to cure or your money back.

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ANNUAL SALE, TEN MILLION BOXES

My Lady Beautiful

Health is true beauty. The charm of bright eyes, rosy cheeks, rounded figure, buoyant and elastic step is within the reach of every woman.

Reasonable care in diet, regular exercise and due amount of sleep with an occasional dose of

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will keep most women in health. The timely use of these pills will strengthen the system, renew the supply of blood and relieve nausea and depression. The beneficial effects of Beecham's Pills on the bowels, liver, stomach, blood and complexion, make them women's greatest aid to health and in a true sense

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In boxes with full directions, 10c. and 25c.

FALL AND WINTER STYLES Ready For Your Inspection!

Know that you will see the best line of suits and overcoats it has ever been our good fortune to offer you. When we say that it means much to you, for ordinarily the line of clothes we sell, "New Idea Clothes" is far superior to all others in price, style and service; but this year, more than ever before they have that snap and vim that makes one always well dressed.

No tailor — no matter how much he charges — can fit you any better or put more style and individuality in his garments than you'll find in ours.

All the most favored fabrics in a great variety of the most up to date colors and designs, for particular dressers, young or old.

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BLANKETS

Good size Cotton Blankets in Tan or Gray with fancy borders, at ..... 49c pr.

11-4 Cotton Blankets, splendid weight, Gray or Tan, assorted borders ..... 75c pr.

11-4 Extra heavy Cotton Blankets, Gray or Tan ..... 98c pr.

10-4 Wool Blankets in plaids or plain colors, fancy borders $2.98

11-4 Wool Blankets, grand value at ..... $3.48 pr

11-4 Extra quality wool Blankets, none better ..... $5.25 pr

COMFORTS

Sanitary made Comforts, stuffed with pure cotton, good size Comforts 79c

Full size Comforts, extra value at 99c

Special values $1.25 to $3 each.

Teddy Crib Blankets 79c

Couch Blankets, rich colorings at $1.48

BED SPREADS

Full size Bed Spreads .. 79c up

Extra special Spread, large and good weight, well worth $1.25, at 98c

Good standard Bleached Sheets at 39c

Much less than price of muslin.

Good standard Bleached Pillow Slips, 42x36 ..... 10c

Room size Rugs, 9x12, great bargains.

NEW FALL PIECE GOODS.

Yard wide Percales, dark and light patterns ..... 10c yd

Madras Cloths for Shirts and Waists ..... 8 1-3c yd

New fall Dress Ginghams, fast colors, 12½c values ..... 10c yd

Galatea Cloth, choice assortment ..... 15c yd

Soisette in all the new fall shades ..... 20c yd

Fine Mercerized Poplin (all new shades) ..... 25c yd

New Japasine Silks, plain colors ..... 29c and 35c yd

Figured Japasine Silks, exquisite designs ..... 39c and 50c

New Shantung Fancy Silks 50c per yard.

Yard wide fancy and plain Taffeta Silks ..... $1.00 yd

Rich designs in Silk Plaids, Stripes, Checks, etc.

New Weaves in Wool Fabrics, especially designed for Coat Suits and one piece Dresses.

Choice collection of Braids Fancy Nets and Laces for Dress and Waist trimmings.

DOMESTICS

We laid in a large stock of Muslins, Prints, Apron Ginghams Cheviots, Tickings, Canton Flannels, Outing Flannels, etc., before the advance in Cottons, while our present stock lasts we will continue at the same low prices, that has made this department of our store an ever busy corner.

READY TO WEAR OFFERINGS

Stunning Tailored Suits, correct, stylish and of highest class workmanship, in a great variety of materials.

Ladies' Suits ... $7.50 to $30.00

Misses Suits ... $4.98 to $12.00

DRESS SKIRTS

All the new fabric weaves represented in our vast assortment.

Skirts ..... $1.98 to $12.00

50 High Class Skirts, no two alike, samples from one of the best known Skirt manufacturers of high class work in the country. We offer these Skirts fully 25 per cent under regular prices.

All alterations on Suits or Skirts made free and a perfect fit guaranteed.

Black Mercerized and Heatherbloom Petticoats all prices.

Special imitation Heatherbloom Skirt 49c

Muslin Night Gowns, 69c value at 39c

White Linen Shirt Waists pleated, $1 value 69c

Sweater Coats, splendid values, Misses and Ladies.

PORTSMOUTH'S GREATEST SALE NET WAISTS.

Manufacturers entire stock consisting of about 300 Waists bought 50c on the dollar. Just 2 lots, 12 styles, $4 to $4 values, choice $1.98

18 Styles $5 to $7 values at $2.98

Something interesting is happening at Bragdon's every day. Watch our ads.

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You can't fail with Gold Medal Flour. NONE.

NOTHING DOING, LIKE THE COAL STOVE, SHE IS BEHIND THE TIMES.
MORAL: GET A "NEW PROCESS" GAS RANGE.

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A Complete Drug Store

That's just what we have here—one to which you can come for anything in the druggist's line and not be disappointed.

A great stock!

Yes; ten thousand and one different articles. Some are called for fifty times a day; others once or twice a year.

But we must have them all, because you expect to find them here.

Proprietary medicines of all kinds. Toilet and sanitary articles in great abundance and variety.

All prescriptions filled with accuracy by graduate pharmacists of long experience.

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Fourth and Chillicothe.

Convenience

Marks our selling plan in Solid Silber Tableware. You may buy any single piece, and have it duplicated at any time, or the pattern matched in another article, as you like. Solid Silver makes the ideal wedding gift.

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EVENING TIMES SPORTS

Al Bridwell Chosen On The All American Team

Al Bridwell, Portsmouth boy and stellar shortstop of the New York Giants, has finally come into his own. Bozeman Bulger, the great Eastern base ball critic, has placed Briddy in the all American team. True he is given second choice, but only for the reason that Hans Wagner, the greatest batter of the age, is alive and able to play. Should Wagner fall dead or quit the game, Bridwell would be his successor as the greatest living shortstop. Bulger's selections are based on the relative strengths of the players to their respective teams. He may have missed it in one or two instances. For instance many people are of the opinion that Brown of Chicago, should be given precedent over Krause, the Athletics fairler, for second honors in the pitching line. Seldom, if ever, is Brown called off the diamond, while Krause has been sent to the club house more than once this season. Roger Bresnehan, too, is a greater catcher than either Gibson or Archer.

However, Bulger most completely satisfies Portsmouth folks when he places Bridwell at short, showing thereby, that the Portsmouth boy has earned his spurs. Bulger says:

"Before the critical fans begin the work of dissecting this choice of the All-American team for 1909 they should, at least, be kind enough to look up the batting averages of the various players chosen. For instance, it is quite likely that a broadside will be fired at the choice for second base. Ninety per cent of the fans would choose Lajoie while a large number would stick to Evers of the Cubs and Doyle of the Giants. The records show, however, that Collins has outhit them all and that he is crowding Ty Cobb for the honor of leading the American League.

The choice of Gibson as catcher is based on the fact that he has caught practically every game played by the Pirates and that his throwing arm has been improving. There are other catchers who have hit harder than Gibson, but he is a dangerous man in a scrinch.

As to the others there can be little question. For a fielding outfielder I would have preferred Tommy Leach, but Crawford is outbidding them all with the exception of Ty Cobb.

Considerably more difficulty is found in selecting the second team than the first. The fact that Bridwell was selected for shortstop will probably be a surprise. Fans throughout the country look upon him as a beautiful fielder, but they seem to forget that he is also a cracking good hitter. In batting Bridwell is ahead of all the other shortstops excepting Wagner. Many would have chosen points less than that of Bridwell, ding percentage is nearly thirty points less than that of Bridwell.

A sharp criticism over the selection of Hummell, Birmingham and Mitchell is also expected. The fan had better examine the records closely, however. By averaging the batting average, the fielding average and the throwing ability of those three men they will be found far in the lead of all others

All-American Base Ball Team.

Chase, New York Americans, first base.
Collins, Athletics, second base.
Wagner, Pittsburg, shortstop.
Devlin, New York Nationals, third base.
Clarke, Pittsburg, left field.
Crawford, Detroit, center field.
Cobb, Detroit, right field.
Gibson, Pittsburg, catcher.
Mathewson, New York Nationals, pitcher.

All-American Team—Second Choice.

Chance, Chicago Nationals, first base.
Lajoie, Cleveland, second base.
Bridwell, New York Nationals, shortstop.
Steinfeldt, Chicago Nationals third base.
Hummell, Brooklyn, left field.
Birmingham, Cleveland, center field.
Mitchell, Cincinnati, right field
Archer, Chicago Nationals, catcher.
Krause, Athletics, pitcher.

Otway Team Left Field

The ball game between McDermott and Otway at McDermott Sunday broke up in the fifth inning when the Otwayites quit the field. The score was 6 to 0 in McDermott's favor.

FAVORS SUNDAY BASE BALL

Marion, O., Sept. 28.—"I am for Sunday base ball and I want everybody to know it for I am not the least ashamed," declares "Jack" McDonough, Democratic candidate for mayor. "I can't see any harm in it so long as it is conducted as it has been conducted and if I am elected I shall not interfere."

For 18 years "Jack" McDonough has been a patrolman on the Marion police force. His record shows that during his career as an officer he has arrested more criminals than any other member of the department.

He is a native of Southern Ohio and came to Marion from Ironton 17 years ago. He is a member of St. Mary's Catholic church and has a son studying for the priesthood.

Dr. J. G. Seiter, his Republican opponent, is opposed to Sunday ball.

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STANDING OF THE TEAMS

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

First Game—	
Cincinnati	1
Brooklyn	3
Second Game—	
Cincinnati	3
Brooklyn	1
(8 innings.)	
Chicago	4
Philadelphia	1
First Game—	
Pittsburg	6
New York	1
Second Game—	
New York	8
Pittsburg	7

HOW THEY STAND.

Clubs.	W.	L.	Pct.
Pittsburg	106	37	.741
Chicago	97	46	.678
New York	86	56	.606
Cincinnati	74	71	.510
Philadelphia	69	74	.483
Brooklyn	50	93	.350
St. Louis	49	91	.350
Boston	39	102	.277

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

New York	4
Detroit	1
Cleveland	5
Philadelphia	4
Chicago	8
Washington	1

Boston-St. Louis.—Rain.

HOW THEY STAND.

Clubs.	W.	L.	Pct.
Detroit	91	52	.644
Philadelphia	91	54	.628
Boston	85	60	.586
Chicago	73	72	.503
New York	69	75	.479
Cleveland	70	77	.476
St. Louis	60	84	.417
Washington	33	107	.267

AMERICAN ASSO.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

First Game—	
Toledo	5
Minneapolis	3
Second Game—	
Minneapolis	5
Toledo	3

HOW THEY STAND

Clubs.	W.	L.	Pet.
Louisville	93	75	.554
Milwaukee	90	77	.538
Minneapolis	88	79	.527
Indianapolis	83	85	.494
St. Paul	80	83	.490
Toledo	80	86	.488
Columbus			
Columbus	80	87	.478
Kansas City	71	93	.432

Nelson Declares Corbett Could Beat Johnson

Battling Nelson says that in his opinion Jim Corbett can beat Johnson in a six or a ten-round fight. "Why, there never was a big fellow like Corbett who was anywhere near him in speed and cleverness. He was the best jabber and tantalizer there ever was in the heavyweight class. Jim would crowd a fellow, jab, step back, jab and then squeeze in a right.

The Indians are scheduled to play Penney at Philadelphia October 30. In the last three years the Quakers have been beaten twice by Warner's players and the other game was a tie.

Tips Off Signs Of the Battery

According to an Eastern paper Trainer Tuthill of the Detroit baseball team, made a discovery Saturday which, it is believed, will explain the remarkable batting streak the Highlanders have had on their own grounds this season.

Tuthill, who had been stationed on the outside of the grounds, swooped down upon an individual sitting on a little box behind a hat advertising sign in center field. The fellow had a pair of field glasses through which he could discern the signs of the Detroit battery, and with the aid of a small paddle, which was on the inside of the fence, it was possible for him to signal the New York batters whether a curve or a straight ball was about to be pitched. Tuthill refuses to say whom he caught in the box with the glasses, which he confiscated and which are now in Jennings' possession.

Neither Jennings nor Tuthill would make a statement relative to the matter, but the Detroit players talked rather freely about it. The New York team has been hitting all pitchers terrifically for the past month. All the cracks—Bender, Walsh, Doc White and other pitchers who, as a rule, are most difficult to hit, have been pounded by the Highlanders, and this hitting is attributed to the fact that the man in the box with the field glasses tipped them off on the opposing battery sign.

From what can be learned Manager Jennings gained information while in Washington that the New York players were getting tipped off on the battery signs. He detailed Tuthill to examine the fence on the outside of the grounds, and it was while so engaged that Tuthill came upon the man.

The box was so arranged that it shielded the man inside from view. There were two small holes in the fence against which the field glasses were placed and the catcher's signs detected. On the inside of the fence there was a small paddle which could be moved by the man with the glasses. He only gave a signal when a fast straight ball was signed for, this, of course, being the easiest to hit.

Tuthill would not talk about the matter, and Jennings insisted he had not heard of it. Manager Stallings, when questioned, smiled and said it was a yarn, the origin of which he could not imagine.

IRONTONIANS ACCOUNT OF GAME

Below is given the Irontonian's account of the game between Harry Paul's Ironton club and the Midgets, which broke up in a row:

A large crowd of enthusiastic fans turned out Saturday afternoon to the players' benefit game with the Portsmouth Midgets, which unfortunately ended in a squabble over a decision.

Willis and Mains worked for Ironton, while DeLotelle and Boyles were in the points for the visitors. Both pitchers did well, but the Midgets had difficulty in hitting Willis and played a bunting game.

The game was one of the fastest played on the local field and at the close of the ninth the score stood 3 to 3 and the tenth was begun. It was here that the dispute arose. With a man on second and one on first and one down, the next man up hit to Freeks, who doubled the runner at second. This runner, DeLotelle, blocked Murray's throw for an easy double by throwing up his hands and in attempting to make the assist, the ball went wild, the man going to third scoring. Umpire Bull called the double play completed on account of the interference, retiring the side. The Midgets put up an awful howl and the team left the ground, allowing the game to be forfeited to Ironton, 9 to 0.

DeLotelle did not deny that he had thrown up his hands but claimed he had a right to if he wanted. The interference was very plain and the vistors had no just grounds for kicking, especially when everybody saw the runner who scored cut third base at least two yards. Everybody regretted that the game could not have been finished, as it was an exciting one and would have made a satisfying afternoon of sport, either way it went.

The boys did pretty well financially, making about $12 apiece out of the afternoon, getting the entire receipts from all sources. The following is the official score:

Portsmouth.	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Brennen, lf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Ross, ss	3	0	1	1	2	1
Reinhardt, rf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Keller, 2b	3	1	0	3	1	0
Dodge, 1b	3	0	1	0	7	1
Allen, 3b	3	0	1	0	7	1
Grimm, cf	4	0	0	3	0	0
Boyles, c	4	0	0	6	1	0
DeLotelle, p	4	0	1	0	1	0
Totals	35	3	5	27	12	1

Ironton.	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Freeks, 2b	4	1	1	1	2	1
Mains, c	3	1	0	11	2	1
Ball, lf	1	1	1	1	0	0
Murray, ss	4	0	1	5	2	0
Shattuck, 1b	4	0	1	10	1	0
Grover, rf	4	0	2	0	0	0
Cook, cf	4	0	0	1	0	1
Spears, 3b	3	0	1	0	2	0
Willis, p	3	0	0	1	5	0
Totals	32	3	7	30	12	6

Ports ....0 2 0 0 0 0 1 0 0—3
Ironton ....0 0 0 2 0 0 0 1 0 *—3

Two-base hits—Ball, Spears.
Three-base hit—Dodge.
First base on balls—Off Willis 3, DeLotelle 2.
Struck out—By Willis 11, by DeLotelle 5.
Stolen bases—Portsmouth 0, Ironton 6.
Sacrifice hits—Ross, Allen, Mains.
Left on bases—Ironton 5, Portsmouth 4.
Double plays—Keller to Dodge; Wild pitch—Willis.
Hit by pitcher—Keller.
Time—1:45.
Umpire—Bull.

Want Game With Locals

The original All Professionals, consisting mostly of Southern league stars, have all returned home. This aggregation embraces such well known talent as Ray Ryan and Smutter Matthews, catchers; Hammond and Bonno, pitchers; Dexter, first base; Whitey Moore, second base; Jimmy Barton, shortstop; Rheinhardt, third base; Lefty Geyer, left field; Joe Hennessey, center field; Wiseman, right field. Manager Devanney would like to hear from the following clubs: Portsmouth, Ohio; Huntington, W. Va.; Lexington, Ky.; Paris, Ky., and Lily Brews, of Dayton, Ohio, for Sunday, Sept. 26. Wire or write at once Mike, Devanney, No. 49 West Sixth street.—Enquirer.

Comingore Has A Job

Marshall Comingore, one of the leading pitchers of the Mansfield team in the Ohio State league has returned to his home here for the winter, says a Danville Ind., dispatch. He has taken charge of a string of trotting and pacing horses for the winter.

Harvard, Yale, Princeton an Annapolis have got to develop quarterbacks this fall.

Plays Game In Southampton

A unique and remarkable account of a ball game between teams from the American liner St. Louis and the United States training ship Adams, played in Southampton, England, which appeared in the Southampton Daily Echo, on August 11, of this year. It follows:

Strange and wierd cries emanated from the Dell, Southampton, yesterday afternoon, and it was evident to those in the vicinity that something unusual was in progress. Star-spangled flags fluttering from the poles which are usually occupied by red and white ensigns, gave some indication, at any rate, of the nationality of those participating in the game in progress. As a matter of fact it was a baseball match arranged between teams from the American liner St. Louis and the United States training ship Adams, in aid of the Southampton Seamen's orphanage, and not only were the spectators of whom there was a good number, delighted with the game, but the players, too, were as keen as possible, and there was considerable excitement. The shouting urging the players on to "get going" were typical American, as was also the stream of banter which the man at the "plate" had to face—a nervous player it must have been worse than than the swiftest throw of the "pitcher." The game—"ball" had been aptly described—"glorified rounders." A huge club is used by the striker, the ball being a hard one. The fieldsmen, "battery" team wear enormous "mits" to protect their hands. These gloves are used to trap the ball, and one hand remains bare to hold when it is thus secured. P. E. Curry, the manager of the White Star and American line, was amongst the company present, as Col. A. Swaim, the United States consul at Southampton, and the latter, during the first few games, officiated as umpire.

Dave Schreiber Did Great Work

Had all of Terre Haute's pitchers done as well as Schreiber, the Waverly lad, that club would have won the pennant instead of finishing in lowly sixth place. Schreiber's record just published along with the other Central league twirlers, shows that he officiated in 24 games. He won 16 and lost eight giving him a percentage of .667. Only one other Terre Haute pitcher won as many games as he lost and that was Asher with 21 victories and 21 defeats, or an average of .500.

Next to three Wheeling pitchers Schreiber's record was the best in the league. Big Bill Phillips, who managed the Wheeling club, lost only two games in the 13 he pitched. Fisher had 24 victories and eight defeats and Wolfe was beaten three out of ten games. Justus for Dayton stood second but he only finished five games. He won four and lost one of these but it will be remembered he was taken out of the box several times.

The sale and draft of players from the Central this year was greater than in any former year. Twenty-eight are reported, against 22 last year. Former Ohio leaguers who go up are Jewell to St. Louis, Channell to New York and Webb to Pittsburg. Schreiber has been bought by the Detroit club. The season was a disastrous one, financially speaking, as Wheeling was the only team to make any money.

Information given out by R. A. Schnelle, secretary to President Carson, shows that the Evansville club finished the season $16,000 loser, Dayton $7000 behind and Terre Haute $7000 in arrears. Besides these tennis, South Bend and Grand Rapids were losers, the former club to the extent of $2000 and Grand Rapids to the amount of $8000.

Vanceburg Is Winner

Vanceburg, Ky., Sept. 8.—Vanceburg defeated the Kentucky Browns of South Portsmouth Sunday by a score of 2 to 1 in the best game of the season. Batteries: Pugh and Thomas for Vanceburg; Brooker and Kerns for Portsmouth.

At the Orphium Tonight.

So careful was last year's management in Harvard of the general football supplies that it has cost only $200 to fit up the varsity and freshman squads this fall. A few years ago the Harvard management decided that it was taking risks to use old football clothes that had been in storage for a year, but evidently it was only a spasm of reform.

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THURSDAY, SEPT. 30.

The Boston Belles Burlesquers.

See the two fine sketches, "One Night in Hotel Shantytown" and "My Cousins Arrival." They will keep you awake.

THE GREAT EVERETT, the handcuff king.
Prices 25c, 35c, 50c and 75c.
Sale of seats Wednesday.

THE ARCANA QUARTET

is making a big hit and this popular show house is playing to standing room every night.

Manager Potts has arranged with the quartet to sing every night and the many patrons are getting a big show for five cents with 2,500 feet of film of the very latest. The entire program changes daily. Don't fail to follow the crowd to the Arcana Theatre, 16 Gallia St.

Charley Carr Taught Lesson. All Players To Be Satisfied

One of the saddest and wisest men in baseball today is Charley Carr, manager and part owner of the Indianapolis baseball team.

When the Hoosiers won the American Association pennant in 1908, the club owners sold some stock to Carr and he was one of the bondholders.

Carr then undertook to cut down expenses at once, to increase his revenue as a stockholder, and, although the team had won the pennant, the pruning knife was used on the salaries. The stars of the team were subjected to a cut. Paddy Livingstone, now catcher of the Athletics, had a lump sum of $100 a month taken off his contract, while Hopke, who had not missed a game for three years, was also cut a small sum each month.

There were other ball players who also felt the knife with the result that there was general dissatisfaction among the players, and they did not exert themselves. What is the result. Trying to save about $2000 a year in salaries has cost the management at least from $60,000 to $75,000 in gate money. The Hoosiers made a sorry showing all year. Now Carr comes out with the declaration that next year all of his players will be satisfied. It is a cinch he has learned a lot of new things this summer.

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Portsmouth Man To Dive For Treasures

The Cincinnati Post runs an illustrated story about Ben Graham and Ed. Moore, submarine divers of that city, going south in the employ of the Monongahela Salvage company to dive for $200,000 worth of property sunk in Southern waters by the late terrible cyclone and tidal wave. The Post works up a romantic story, comparing the divers to the dreamers who for more than a hundred years have been searching for the treasure of Captain Kidd, with this difference, that Graham and Moore and the company for which they work know just what they are going after and where to go to get it. The interesting thing to Portsmouth is that Ben Graham was born in Portsmouth, the son of Joe Graham, a well known Portsmouth citizen and submarine diver of much repute. The older Graham has retired from business in comfortable circumstances, is living in his own comfortable home in Newport, and is a brother-in-law of John V. Suter, of this city. "Joe" Graham was formerly a familiar figure in Portsmouth. He early went on the river, got to be watchman and then mate, but being impressed with the business of submarine diving and the emoluments connected therewith, quit steamboating and became a professional diver. When the water works were first built he was employed as diver in the work of laying the intake pipe, and later, when the pipes were run to the channel near the Kentucky shore, he was the diver employed. This was about his first experience in deep water diving. After this he worked on wrecks on the Ohio and Mississippi rivers and made much money, which he had the good sense to save. His wife was always opposed to his diving, regarding it as dangerous. When the son, Ben, who is now to go South as a diver, came enamored of the business and his father decided to take him along as under study, his mother objected, and refused to give her consent to her son adopting the career of a diver until she had exacted from him a promise never to work on Sunday. This promise Ben Graham has religiously kept, never having worked on the Sabbath and no amount of pay could induce him to do so. Joe Graham saved thousands and possibly millions of dollars to the wrecking companies that employed him during his career as a submarine diver, better than that, he saved many valuable lives, and was the means of restoring to grief stricken relatives the bodies of dear ones who had lost their lives in river wrecks. Mr. Graham makes periodical visits to Portsmouth to see his relatives and talk with the old river men. He enjoys good health, with the exception that he is deaf in one ear, caused by air pressure inside of the submarine armor, which is very hard on the ear drum.

A NOTED SOCIALIST ISSUES CHALLENGE TO BATTLING ROM

The following communication was handed to the Times Tuesday morning with the request that it be published:

Local Socialists have secured Fred H. Merrick, of Washington, D. C., manager of the Socialist Press Bureau, to speak here Thursday, Sept. 30th, at Flood & Blake's hall at 7 p. m.

Friday, Oct. 1st, at upper market square at 7 p. m.

Mr. Merrick has been in close touch with the actual capitalist political machine at Washington and has gathered material of a sensational nature, dealing with the inside workings of the political machine in congress.

Mr. Merrick is manager of the National Socialist Press Bureau, of Washington, D. C., and knows the record of every congressman and senator in the national capital. These records will be mercilessly shown up and Mr. Merrick will have documents with him to prove all he may say about these gentlemen who will not dare to meet him on the platform and back up their acts as your servants.

Mr. Merrick challenges any of the old party politicians to meet him in joint debate and, and has mailed the following notification to Congressman Adna R. Johnson:

"Washington, D. C., Sept. 18.

"Adna R. Johnson, M. C.,

"Oak Ridge, Ironton, Ohio.

"Sir:—I am coming to speak in your district under the auspices of the national committee of the Socialist party, as manager of the National Socialist Press Bureau of this city, to expose your political record, particularly on the labor question. I will carry documents with me to prove your duplicity during the session of congress just closed.

Socialists do not stab people in the back, hence this notification. I shall be pleased to give you or any authorized representative for you, an opportunity to defend your record at these meetings if you will communicate with me at once.

If you care to write to me, mail addressed to me care of the general delivery, postoffice, Indianapolis, Indiana; will reach me if posted within three or four days after receipt of this.

"FRED H. MERRICK."

The speaker will tell you more about the control of this government by Aldrich and other political bosses than any man alive will tell you. You want to know who the real rulers of this nation are and what you must do i norder to rule yourselves.

Then don't fail to hear Mr. Merrick. All welcome—ladies as well as men.

West End Merchants Notice.

There will be an important meeting of the West End Business Men's Association, Wednesday evening, Sept. 29, at 8 o'clock.

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Best Place To Catch 'Em

You wouldn't think it, but the narrow canal north of the power house at Millbrook lake is a better place to fish than in the large lake. Davy Jones caught a fine string there Monday.

SCHEME TO BOOST THE PEERLESS CITY

Portsmouth merchants and members of the Board of Trade have adopted another clever plan of advertising the Peerless City.

The plan is that of using envelopes on the back of which are printed interesting facts about the city and a complete list of her diversified industries and institutions. Much of the information thus exploited is really news to some of Portsmouth's own citizens. The population of the city is given as 30,000 with 50,000 in 1915. This is a conservative forecast for Portsmouth is bound to increase its population to that extent in five years time. The N. & W. is constantly bringing additional families into the city and the Portsmouth Steel company officials figure on giving employment to at least 1500 people within another year. The coming of the Diamond Flint Glass company's plant from Jackson will also bring a big number of families.

Paint Peels Off

Some times. That is because neither the right materials nor good workmanship is employed. Get Brehmer, Home phone 917, to do the job and then you can be satisfied. You will meet with no such dissatisfaction.

This was fast day by the Jewish people. A. Schapiro says the Jews really fast, and don't fill up on grub the day before, to get ready for the occasion.

Ohio Farmer's Agency Changes Hands

We desire to announce to the public and the policy holders of the company, that we have purchased the Ohio Farmer's agency for Scioto County and we expect to extend every business courtesy to its patrons.

The offices of the company in the future, will be in the present offices of J. W. Inman No. 6 and 7 Kricker building, over the Central National Bank, right near the postoffice, and we would be pleased to receive a call from every policy holder of the company whenever the opportunity affords. Come in and see us the first time you are in the city, as we are very desirous of making your acquaintance. If by an oversight you should not hear from us hence your policy expires, please notify us at once and greatly oblige.

Yours respectfully,

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Does it strengthen the nerves? Yes!
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N. & W. TRAINS NOT ANNULLED

Portsmouth business men have saved the day and N. & W. trains Nos. 17 and 18, operating between here and Williamson, W. Va., will stay on indefinitely.

The promise to give the trains another trial was exacted from Gen. Manager N. D. Maher at a conference held in his private car Monday evening. The conference was between him, the board of trade directors and a few other interested parties. Gen. Supt. Geo P. Johnson and Supt. E. A. Blake of the N. & W. also attended. The best of feeling prevailed and Portsmouth business men showed what can be accomplished by united action. They argued that Nos 17 and 18 were strictly Portsmouth trains and that a city of this size and importance was entitled to an early morning train for the East. Local shoe manufacturers had come to use the train for daily visits to their branch factories up the line. Nearly all of the material they shipped by express and also the pay rolls. They themselves are unable to make the round trip in the day time while if they were obliged to spend the nights away from home they would not make the trip near so frequently. Mr. Maher agreed with them on these points and gave his personal word that the trains would be continued even though not paying propositions at the present time. He asked that Portsmouth people give these trains all of the support possible.

The petitions containing hundreds of signatures asking that the trains be kept in the service were submitted to Mr. Maher and he persued them with much interest. Official circulars announcing the removal of the Portsmouth and Williamson trains October 1, reached Portsmouth Tuesday morning but they will be recalled. Trains Nos. 33 and 34 which are at present daily trains will be discontinued on Sundays after that date. No. 33 leaves here for Columbus at 7:28 a. m. and returning has been arriving on Sunday nights at 9:28.

Mr. Maher during his interview with Portsmouth business men spoke of the great improvements the company is making on its road particularly the double tracking on the Scioto division and which is now nearing completion.

It Saved His Leg.

"All thought I'd lose my leg," writes J. A. Swenson, Watertown, Wis. "Ten years of eczema that 15 doctors could not cure, had at last laid me up. Then Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured it sound and well." Infallible for Skin Eruptions, Eczema, Salt Rheum, Boils, Fever Sores, Burns, Scalds, Cuts and Piles. 25c at The Fisher & Streich Pharmacy.

Stork Leaves A Fine Baby

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Griffin residing on the Boulevard are rejoicing over the arrival of a ten pound baby daughter.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS

District convention at Waverly Monday, October 4th. Special train leaves Portsmouth at 6:15 Returning leaves Waverly at 12. Everybody get out. Brass band, fire works and all necessities for a good time. tue-thu-sat

Gets Order For Barrels

Timothy Jewett on Monday received another order from Greenup for 200 empty barrels for use in shipping sorghum to Chicago.

Quick Trip In His Auto

Lafayette Taylor, president of the Scioto County Good Roads Association, came from his home in Rardin in his automobile yesterday, making the run in an hour and three-quarters. He came the long route, by way of the Duck Run pike and Rushtown. The old Galena turnpike is practically washed away and can not be used by automobiles. Had this route been practicable Mr. Taylor could easily have cut the time to an hour. The Galena pike was originally a well built road, right in the creek valleys, with easy grades, but it has been permitted to go to the bow-wows. The Duck Run route means a long hill to climb as well as longers distance.

WARWICK ANDERSON BUYS HARD HOME.

The well known William Hard property at the southwest corner of Gallia and Sinton streets, has been sold by the Hard estate to Warwick Anderson for $8500. This is a valuable piece of property, being in the very heart of the city, where the business and residence districts come together. The house, a substantially built brick, was erected by William Hard in the early '70s. Mr. Anderson will make improvements in the house and the grounds and hold it for the present. The present tenants will not be molested.

The Prince Chap Fine Attraction

Tomorrow night the Grand will offer one of the finest attractions that will be here this season and one that every lover of the higher class of plays should see. Mgr. Cook will bring his splendid New York company here and present Edward Peple's great drama "The Prince Chap" and in the cast will be seen "The Pulman Children," who take the parts of Claudie, a part that requires three people to present. In act one Miss Beryl Pulman interprets the part of Claudie aged 5 years, act second, Miss Helen Pulman takes the role at aged 8 and in the last act Miss Lillian Raymond plays the part of the grown-up Claudia. This exceptional feature is one that patrons rarely have an opportunity to witness and especially with such a fine attraction, a fine house should greet them tomorrow night.

Boston Belles.

Next Thursday at the Grand The Boston Belles Burlesquers will present two spicy farces "A Night in Hotel Shantytown" and "My Cousin's Arrival" and they will make you sit up and take notice as there is not a slow moment in the show from start to finish. There will be many vaudeville features, among them "The Act at Everett," the handcuff King, who can release himself from any kind of bonds, etc. See the Burlesquers Thursday night.

Is Erecting New Scales

George William Barber began the construction of a new scale at the corner of Second and Jefferson streets Monday.

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